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PADUCAH, KY., FRIDAY EVENING, MAY 15, 1908

TEN CENTS PER WEEK

## AGAIN RAFFLES ELUDES EFFORTS TO CAPTURE HIM

Yesterday Was the Most Interesting Day of His Meanderings.

Efforts Made to Capture Him However Are Fruitless.

WHERE YOU CAN FIND HIM.

WHERE TO FIND RAFFLES, TODAY AND TONIGHT.

At Roy L. Cully & Co. between 8 and 10 p. m. \$150 reward if captured in the store.

"The Snake House," 222 Broadway, between 7:30 and 9:30. \$125 and a box of 222 cigars for the reward.

At the Crystal theater between 8 and 10 p. m. \$125 reward if captured in the theater.

At Hank Bros., between 6 and 9 p. m. \$125 reward if captured in the store.

At Spect's drug store, 904 Broadway, between 8 and 10 tonight. \$125 reward if captured in the store.

SATURDAY.

Raffles will visit Jo Wolff's jewelry store, and \$125 reward will be paid for his capture there between 2 and 6.

Stutz's candy and soda water store between 3 and 9 p. m., where \$150 is the reward for his capture.

Rel L. Cully & Co., between 8 and 10 p. m. \$150 reward for his capture there.

F. N. Gardner Co., Furniture store on Third street, between 1 and 4 Saturday afternoon. \$150 reward for his capture there.

At Noah's Ark from 3 to 5 tomorrow afternoon. \$100 reward.

At Weiler's from 3 to 8 p. m. tomorrow. \$125 reward.

At Lender & Lydon's from 6 to 9 p. m. \$150 reward.

Where to Find Raffles Sunday.

Will visit Wallace park concessions between 2 and 5. Capture him and get \$100 reward.

Raffles will visit the ball game Sunday between 3 and 5—\$125 reward if captured at the game.

Watch the Ford automobile run about. Raffles says they are the best ever.

Raffles' photo can be seen at McFadden's studio, the best in town.

Raffles dropped into Cully's yesterday and was very much attracted by the appearance. Everyone seemed to be busy, and on inquiry found out that they were opening goods to get ready for their big sale. He made up his mind to visit this sale, so will appear there between 8 and 10, and a \$125 reward will be paid if he is captured.

While I did not make my visit to Gray's pool rooms, as I announced, it was only due to the crowd, and the way in which they were framing up to catch me. I did visit the place today, however, and must say Mr. Gray has one of the best pool rooms I have ever visited, and must be doing a profitable business.

"Raffles" had more fun yesterday than he has had yet. He was billed to appear at Wilson's, Guthrie's, Gray's pool room, The Crystal and Gilbert's drug store, and at each place a great throng was ready to pounce upon him. He got away with his visits in true "mysterious" style, as will be evidenced from his own story below. Tonight, tomorrow, tomorrow night and Sunday he continues his rambles, so it is up to the wise sleuths of Paducah to effect his capture if they would get that \$100.

Remember the conditions of the contest: You must have the latest edition of The Evening Sun with you, and approaching Raffles, you must say: "Are you the Mysterious Mr. Raffles of The Paducah Sun?"

The mysterious Mr. Raffles had a lively time yesterday. I started my afternoon adventure by paying Wilson's book store a short call. As I entered the store I noticed a young man behind the soda fountain very

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E. W. WHITMORE WILL HONORED AT CONCLAVE.

Mr. E. W. Whitmore, eminent commander of the Paducah Knights Templar will represent the lodge at the state meeting at Lebanon next Wednesday and Thursday. Today Mr. Whitmore received notice that he has been appointed one of the mounted aides to the grand commander, William R. Johnson, in the parade. Mr. Whitmore will be the only Knight Templar attending from Paducah.

Revenue Collector R. D. Happy, of Mayfield, is in the city.

## Pembroke Merchants Ordered Not to Deal With Hopkinsville and Clarksville Under Pain of Death

Little South Christian Community Wrought Up Over Latest Demand of Insatiable Night Riders.

Hopkinsville, Ky., May 15.—(Special.)—Merchants of Pembroke, in South Christian county, have received warnings from night riders not to deal with merchants in Hopkinsville or Clarksville under penalty of being killed or having their places of business burned. Among the farmers of that section the night rider spirit is rampant, while Hopkinsville and Clarksville have received a baptism of law and order, and there is danger that the night riders will be indicted and convicted. It is believed that it is in revenge for the efforts of the town people to bring the riders to justice, that this move was made against the merchants of the little trading point. Merchants are greatly agitated and it may be troops will be sent there to protect them. The effect has been to deepen the feeling in Hopkinsville against the night riders and the people now realize that it is necessary to thoroughly stamp out the disorder.

## LAST DAY IS BUSY ONE

Washington, May 15.—The last day's session of the natural resources conference at the white house was the busiest meeting. Each governor had a pet theory to advance. Dr. Kober, of Georgetown University, discussed improved water supply. Mrs. Roosevelt gave a lawn party during the afternoon to the delegates.

President Roosevelt made a ringing speech, in which he defined his stand on states and federal rights. He said he did not care whether the laws were enforced by the state or national government, so long as they were enforced for the good of the people.

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## SCHOOL CENSUS WILL BE SHORT 200 THIS YEAR

Indications are that the city schools will be 200 children short for the school, according to the enumerators, who have been digging up the decrease. Tonight the enumerators will meet with C. G. Kelly, secretary of the school board, and the figures will be computed. When the regular enumerators ceased their work the shortage was over 500, but by hard and careful work the number has been reduced to about 200. The school officials were granted two weeks of grace to investigate the shortage, and when the lists are verified they will be mailed to the superintendent of education. The number of the school children in the city will be about 6,199.

The Valedictory.

"The Power of Women" will be the subject of the valedictory of this year's class of the High school. Miss Sadie Smith, the valedictorian, has given her subject to Prof. W. H. Suggs for the program of commencement evening. Miss Smith is a charming writer, and the valedictory this year will be unusually interesting. Miss Margaret Schwab, the salutatorian, has not selected her subject.

School Notes.

Mr. E. W. Whitmore addressed the students of the High school this morning at the opening exercises on "Real Estate." Mr. Whitmore gave a short history of real estate, and devoted some time to the origin of titles. This lecture closed a series of talks by business men of the city for the week.

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Ballard County Veteran, Who Led His Regiment When Commander Fell.

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I. HESSE HAS PASSED AWAY

Louisville, May 15.—Maj. J. H. Bowman, aged seventy-three years, a former merchant of Lovelaceville, Ballard county, and a veteran of the Civil war, died of the infirmities of old age at the Confederate Home at Pewee Valley after an illness of about three weeks. Maj. Bowman entered the army about five months ago.

Ma. Bowman was a native of Ballard county, and followed the close of the Civil war he entered in the general merchandise business, which he conducted until a short time before he entered the home. He served with great distinction throughout the Civil war in the Third Kentucky Infantry. At the battle of Baton Rouge, Maj. Bowman led his regiment when the commander, Col. Thompson, was wounded. Again he led the command when Col. Thompson was killed. Besides his wife Mr. Bowman is survived by a son and daughter. The body will be sent to his former home for burial.

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## Judge Evans Directs Capias to be Issued For Each Male Defendant in Hollowell Case as Soon as Asked

Execution Against Property and Process to Hold Person Until Judgment is Paid is What it Means.

AN ORDER WAS RECEIVED FROM JUDGE EVANS BY FEDERAL CLERK PURYEAR THIS MORNING, AUTHORIZING HIM TO ISSUE AN EXECUTION AND CAPIAS FOR THE 27 MALE DEFENDANTS IN THE HOLLOWELL CASE, AGAINST WHOM A VERDICT WAS RENDERED FOR \$35,000 IN FAVOR OF ROBERT HOLLOWELL.

Execution is granted against the property of Mrs. Lulu Hollowell, one of the defendants, but under the law a woman cannot be held personally. Judge Evans in making the order left the naming of the time the execution and capias should be issued with the plaintiff's attorneys, Miller & Miller and Durelle.

It is not known just when the process will be issued but inasmuch as the attorneys asked the court for forthwith execution, it is supposed that all the defendants will be served tomorrow unless they satisfy the judgment or execute supersedeas bond for appeal.

Under the law the property of any defendant is liable for the debts of all. Insolvent parties may go to jail 10 days and take insolvent debtor's oath.

OSLER TO DOCTORS

New York, May 15.—Dr. William Osler, of "chloroform" theory fame, has written the homeopaths, who are here in convention, that he considers them quacks and such doctors have no place in modern medicine.

ALL FOR TAFT

Sacramento, Cal., May 15.—Every Republican delegate from California to the national convention is instructed to vote for Taft. The state convention, which adjourned early today, instructed for him, as did six congressional districts.

Texas, Too.

Ft. Worth, May 15.—Taft will be endorsed by the Republicans in the state convention today.

GOLDEN POND SCENE OF OUTRAGES FOR WHICH ARRESTS ARE MADE IN TRIGG CO.

Camps of Soldiers Announced in Cadiz Paper—Details of Story.

The Cadiz Record says: "J. D. Cossey, of near Golden Pond, and Claude Colston, of near Ironton, and son of the late Bith Colston, came to Cadiz and upon affidavits made by them, warrants were issued for the arrest of ten Trigg county citizens and six Lyon county citizens upon the charge of banding and confederating for the purpose of alarming, intimidating and injuring others. Cossey and Colston were accompanied to Cadiz by Gen. Roger Williams and a detail of six soldiers.

The men charged in the affidavit of Cossey are Hugh and Roy Wallace, Charles Pollard, T. and Jap Leneave, Lee and Roscoe Ferguson, W. T. Crass and Tom Crisp. Cossey charged that these men with others unknown to him visited his home six weeks ago, and after firing into his house, asked him to come out, and threatened to burn it if he did not. He went out and was taken some distance and whipped. He said they told him he had too much land, and he must rent it as they said. He also says that one of his children in the house was struck by a shot from one of the guns fired into his house.

Simon Ingram and Tandy Colston, uncle of Claude, and six Lyon county citizens, whose names the officials would not make public for the reason that the men had not been arrested, were the men charged by Colston. He says they visited his home about the first of March and took him out and whipped him, charging that he had mistreated his wife.

Deputy Sheriff W. L. Davis left Cadiz Tuesday morning to execute the warrants on those living in Trigg county. Information from Golden Pond yesterday was to the effect that all had been arrested and gave bond in the sum of \$500 each, although Mr. Davis had not returned to Cadiz last night.

Military Camp.

"Two military camps have been

## SWAN INCIDENT IS TAKEN UP BY CO. ASSOCIATION

Murray, Ky., May 15.—In a set of resolutions prepared at a recent meeting the Calloway committee of the Planters' Protective association said: "It comes to this body that his honor, County Judge Wells, stated to the chairman of this committee that 'the blood of the men indicted in this county was upon him'; that the unfriendly influence to the association has seized upon this statement to do injury to the organization and place a false accusation upon this committee, that is humiliating to the members hereof and harmful to the association's interests. Therefore be it

"Resolved, That under the facts now presented that Judge Wells should retract such statement and remove the stigma placed upon this committee and the association of tobacco growers of this county."

Judge Wells did not reflect on the association; but he repeatedly called on J. B. Swan, the county chairman, to denounce night riding, saying that the stand taken by Chairman Usher, of Graves county, had quieted that county, and Swan



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## CHAUTAUQUA

PLANS ARE MATURING, THOUGH PROGRAM IS NOT OUT.

All Committees Have Work Well in Hand for Season.

Chautauqua plans are maturing though the program has not reached the stage where it can be definitely announced. As the season this year will be in July, thirty days later than the chautauqua of last year, it is still early to make permanent engagements, though the program committee have prepared and will soon submit to Manager J. H. Shaw, a program much stronger and more varied than that of last year. Other committees have their work well in hand.

### Hans Christian Andersen.

The house at Odense in which Hans Christian Andersen, the great writer of fairy stories, was born, has been turned into an Andersen museum. Into this little building of six rooms a great many relics of Andersen already have been placed, and, as from time to time the other relics shall be obtained, they will be cared for in the museum.

A large number of documents relating to the various stages of Andersen's life are shown in one of the rooms. In this collection are to be found papers relating to the great man's childhood, his school life, his experiences on the stage, and his work as a writer.

In other rooms are displayed several articles of furniture which were used by Andersen and many articles of wearing apparel. Pathetic interest attaches to a skin bag that is carefully preserved under glass. This bag Andersen wore on his breast, and it was found there after his death. It contained at that time a letter from the only woman Andersen loved; but the letter does not exist today, having been destroyed, as directed in the author's instructions to his executors. —Milwaukee Free Press.

Wife of the distinguished artist (to departing visitor on show Sunday, who has been tea-ing sumptuously for the last half hour)—Good-bye. So nice of you to have come. I hope you liked the pictures? There! I knew there was something I'd forgotten!—Punch.

Small Elmer was deeply interested in an illustrated book of anatomy. "Mamma," he said pointing to one of the colored plates, "this shows where a man's liver is, but where's his bacon?"—Chicago News.

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## LIVINGSTON

COUNTY GRADUATES NUMBER 55 THIS YEAR.

Increase of Two Over Last Year's Class—Farmers' Institute at Hampton.

Smithland, Ky., May 15.—Fifty-five county pupils have been graduated from the common schools this year. Twenty-one passed the examination last Saturday. They are: Fred Garrett, Opal Lee Kennedy, Clyde Tyner, Leonard McElmurry, Emma Clark, Nellie Edith Rutter, Mark N. Toloy, Ewell T. Hardin, Paul Gossage, Laura Richardson, Minnie Ross, Crit Heath, Jim Jolly, Kate Holloway, Luther Yancey, Carrie Richardson, Phura Fulk, Viva Jewell, Corine Alley, Linley Parker, Pearl Barnes. Nine of the graduates were pupils of Prof. M. C. Wright, at Lola; nine were pupils of Prof. W. T. Jewell, at Grand Rivers and three were pupils of Prof. Chas. Hust, of Salem.

The following were the graduates in January: Jearly Ringstaff, Leonard Ralph, Duley Jones, David Holder, Ulys Sanders, Nellie Morris, Mayme Bridges, Homer Trimble, Henry Adams, Charles Earles, Roxie Crawford, Harry Brewer, Allie Cox, Lemma Threlkeld, Nancy Miller, Clarence Chaudet, Holland Chaudet, Nellie Miller, Gordon Threlkeld, Myrtle Myck, Mayme Ferguson, Gus Wright, Philip Myck, Corbett Slayden, Willis Tolly, Earl Ferguson, Mattie Powell, Mattie Wilson, D. D. Jamerson, Troy Starns, Douglas Rhea, Vernie Park, Hortense Durham, H. Matthews.

### Farmers' Institute.

The secretary of agriculture, M. C. Rankin, has divided the state into four divisions, beginning in the eastern part. Livingston county is in the fourth division. The dates for all the county institutes have been set. The one in this county will be held at Hampton, August 4-5. The Farmers' Institute are held under the direction of the secretary of agriculture at Frankfort.

"Yes, your play pleases me. I will produce it; but I don't intend to run any risks of a misunderstanding. Please sign this paper authorizing me to rewrite the dialogue, introduce another set of characters and change the name."—Le Rire.

The average man hasn't enough courage to applaud until some other fellow starts it.

No wonder love is blind when the girl has more dollars than sense.

## SPORT PROMISED AT TWO DAY MEET

Paducah Matinee Club Will Repeat Success

July 3 and 4 Will See Some Fast Ones at Fair Ground Track for Eight Events.

### RULES GOVERNING THE MEET.

Excellent sport is promised by the Paducah Matinee club July 3 and 4. The program is complete as follows:

**First Day—July 3.**  
2:20 Class trot, 3 in 5 ..... \$200  
2:25 Class pace, 3 in 5 ..... 200  
Half Mile Dash—Running ..... 75  
Three-quarter mile dash—Running ..... 100  
**Second Day—July 4.**  
2:30 Class Trot, 3 in 5 ..... \$200  
Free-for-All Pace, 3 in 5 ..... 250  
Half Mile Dash—Running ..... 75  
Three-quarter Mile Dash—Running ..... 100

The rules and conditions governing the speed ring.  
Harness Races—Entries close Saturday, June 27, 12 m. Records made after June 1st, no bar. Entrance fee 5 per cent, and 5 per cent additional deducted from winners of each money.  
Mile heats, 3 in 5, no race to be over five heats, except, if at the conclusion of the fifth heat two or more horses are tied, the sixth heat will be raced off by the tied horses only, to decide the winner. All races will be governed by the rules of the American Trotting association (except as otherwise provided) of which this club is a member. Five to enter, three to start; money divided 65, 25 and 10 per cent. Horse distancing the field is entitled to first money only.

Two horses may be entered in any open class by the same party, by paying 2½ per cent on each horse when entered, and be held only for the additional fee, 2½ per cent of the horse that starts. No conditional entries will be accepted.

Two horses may enter and start from the same stables, hoppers not barred.

The association reserves the right to reject any entry; to change order of program; to postpone or declare off any race on account of weather conditions or other unavoidable circumstances, or to substitute other classes.

Running Races—Money divided 60 and 40 per cent; no entrance fee. Entries close at 6 p. m. night before race.

All entrance money must be paid to the secretary or clerk of the course by 10 o'clock a. m. on day of race.

Malaria Causes Loss of Appetite.  
The Old Standard GROVE'S TASTE-LESS CHILL TONIC, drives out malaria and builds up the system. For grown people and Children 50c.

## BASEBALL NEWS

### NATIONAL LEAGUE.

	W.	L.	Pct.
Chicago	13	6	.684
Pittsburg	12	7	.632
New York	12	9	.571
Philadelphia	11	9	.550
Boston	11	12	.452
Cincinnati	9	11	.450
St. Louis	9	15	.375
Brooklyn	8	16	.333

### At Pittsburg.

Pittsburg and New York, postponed owing to rain.

### At Chicago.

Chicago and Philadelphia, postponed owing to wet grounds.

### At St. Louis.

St. Louis, May 15.—Errors in the fourth gave the locals three winning runs.

	Score	R	H	E
St. Louis	5	9	2	
Brooklyn	2	4	4	

Batteries—Beebe and Ludwig; Bell, Pastorius, Bergen and Ritter.

### At Cincinnati.

Cincinnati, May 15.—Boston could not bunch hits.

	Score	R	H	E
Cincinnati	2	7	0	
Boston	0	4	0	

Batteries—Ewing and Schlei; Ferguson, Young and Bowerman.

### AMERICAN LEAGUE.

	W.	L.	Pct.
New York	15	8	.652
Cleveland	12	10	.545
St. Louis	13	12	.520
Philadelphia	15	10	.600
Chicago	11	12	.478
Detroit	10	11	.476
Washington	9	14	.393
Boston	8	16	.333

### At Philadelphia.

	Score	R	H	E
Philadelphia	1	2	0	
Chicago	0	3	2	

Batteries—Vickers and Schreck; Smith and Sullivan.

### At New York.

	Score	R	H	E
New York	3	9	5	

# Our Gigantic Special-Purchase Sale a Winner

**BRIGHT** and early this morning our store was thronged with dollar-wise men who know what a bargain-offering means, coming from Weille's. They came, they saw and were conquered, for these 350 semi-custom suits are as fresh and snappy a lot as a man ever clapped eyes on. Our enlarged force of salesmen were kept busy every minute of the day and we are counting on the few days while these suits last to be about the liveliest in our history.

It was ready cash which turned the trick and enables us to offer values which will be cited and referred to for years to come. The masterful selling resources of the House of Weille enable us to do so where others could not.

Come in tonight or tomorrow and get yours, while the picking is good. Staying away is the only thing you'll ever have cause to regret. And bear this in mind: The suits offered are not our regular stock at cut prices; they were bought especially for this sale by our Mr. Ben Weille while in New York from the famous J. Peavey & Bros.

Entire purchase divided into two lots and to be sold at these little prices, in which the makers' loss is your gain.

### See Our Window Display

200 Suits Original Value

\$22.50 and \$20.00

In This Gigantic Purchase Sale for

**\$15.00**

All Suits of This Season's Models and Makes

See Our Window Display



### See Our Window Display

150 Suits Original Value

\$18.00 and \$15.00

In This Gigantic Purchase Sale for

**\$12.50**

All Suits of This Season's Models and Makes

See Our Window Display

There's no man or young man in Paducah who can afford to miss this marvelous cash-in-the-pocket opportunity. It will pay any man to select these suits for future wear, for everything quoted here is true to the dot. We desire the public to know this is no cut sale nor a sale of odds and ends, but is confined exclusively to the 350 Suits closed out to us by J. Peavey & Bros.

**The Mysterious Mr. Raffles Will Visit Our Store Tomorrow Between the Hours of 3 and 8 p. m. \$125 Reward if Caught in the Store**

These Suits Are for Cash Only

**B. Weille & Son**  
MEN'S & CHILDREN'S COMPLETE OUTFITTERS  
409-413 BROADWAY.

These Suits Are for Cash Only

Cleveland ..... 1 9 2  
Batteries—Chesbro and Klenow; Thielman, Berger and N. Clark and Bemis.

### At Washington.

	Score	R	H	E
Washington	4	8	1	
St. Louis	0	5	1	

Batteries—Hughes and Street; Waddell and Spencer.

### At Boston.

	Score	R	H	E
Boston and Detroit	postponed			

owing to rain.

### COLLEGE GAMES.

#### At New Haven.

	Score	R	H	E
Dartmouth	3			
Yale	2			

#### At Syracuse.

	Score	R	H	E
Syracuse University	3			

## PADUCAH-PARIS

GOOD SPORT IS PROMISED AT LEAGUE PARK SUNDAY.

Crack Team From Tennessee Will Meet Holland's Stars on Local Diamond.

Saturday and Sunday the Paducah team and the crack team from Paris, Tenn., will cross bats at the reservation. The Paducah boys will try hard to scalp the pale faces from Tennessee, but the fun promises to be lively. Lee Hart, the star left-

hand artist, will throw the twisters for Saturday's game, while Runyan will officiate in Sunday's game. Hart has returned from Vicksburg recently and he is in fine fettle. The Paris team has several well known college players in its lineup. Paducah will lineup Saturday: Newman, c; Hart, p; Hessian, 1b; Cooper, 2b; Robinson, ss; Barrieman, 3b; Hugg, lf; Williams, cf; Goodman, rf.

The Paris lineup is: Stewart, c; Webb, p; Parkhill, 1b; Sweeney, 2b; Turner, ss; Bennett, 3b; Johnson, lf; Burton, cf; Marsie, rf. Russell will be on the slab for Paris Sunday. Ben Barnett, a former Paducah boy, is the manager for the Paris team.

Lots of women complain because they have nothing to complain of.

The Evening Sun—10c a Week.





## THE SUN'S Mysterious Mr. Raffles

Will visit our store Friday and  
Saturday nights

**\$150 Reward if You  
Catch Him in Our Store**

**Attend Our Extraordinary  
Suit Sale Now Going On**

### GENE DEBS

**NOMINATED FOR PRESIDENT ON  
FIRST BALLOT.**

**Socialists Roast Roosevelt and Take a  
Fall Out of W. H. Taft and W.  
J. Bryan.**

Chicago, May 15.—Eugene V. Debs, of Indiana, was nominated early this morning for president of the United States by the Socialist national convention on the first ballot. The name of A. M. Simons, of Chicago, was the only other presented before the convention.

After a long debate which occupied the fore part of the night when the delegates engaged in much acrimonious discussion, a platform was adopted.

The platform covers well known Socialist views of government and public officials.

One demand is for abolition of the senate and to veto power of the president.

It was after midnight when the convention proceeded to ballot for president. Phil Calgary, Missouri, presented the name of Debs in a speech assailing President Roosevelt for his "undesirable citizen" remarks and declared the president to be the

"most despicable coward the world has ever known." He denounced Taft for having drunk the health of the czar of Russia. He also cast aspersions at Bryan, John Spargo, New York, seconded the nomination of Debs.

Benjamin Howard, of New York, was nominated for vice-president.

### DEBS' ORCHESTRA

**Will Play Commencement Music This  
Year.**

Prof. William Deal and his orchestra will play the commencement music for several schools this year. May 27 he will play at the commencement of the Metropolis High school, and May 28-29-30 the orchestra will be at McKendree, Tenn., where music will be furnished for all of the social affairs of McTyeire institute during the closing of the school term. Professor Deal has played at the schools for the past four years. On his return here the commencement of the High school will be arranged for.

"Why do you wish to be a street car conductor when you grow up, my boy?" asked the minister.

"Because they always have such nice, dirty hands," said the small boy who observed things.—Detroit Free Press.

"Pa, what is a monologue?"  
"A monologue, my son, is a conversation with the only child of one's own parents."—Lippincott's.

## J. P. Sleeth's Drug Store

THE SUN'S  
**MYSTERIOUS MR. RAFFLES**

Will pay me a visit sometime  
between 8 and 10 tonight,  
and offers

**\$125 REWARD**

**For His Capture Here**

## ENDORSE JOHNSON; BRYAN IS TURNED

**Minnesota Democrats Refuse  
to Name Nebraskan.**

**Bolters Outgeneraled and Lose Cher-  
ished Hopes on Floor of Con-  
vention—Tribute to Governor.**

**IS MARKED WITH ENTHUSIASM**

St. Paul, May 15.—Democrats of Minnesota formally endorsed Governor Johnson as the presidential candidate and at the same time, by a vote of 772 to 1666, refused to declare in favor of Bryan as second choice.

Followers of Bryan did not carry out their threat to bolt and hold a rump convention if their contests were defeated before the committee on credentials, or if they were not able to secure a partial endorsement of their leader.

The convention was a flattering tribute to Governor Johnson. The enthusiasm for him was unbounded and sincere. The final adoption of the platform formally endorsed him and instructing Minnesota to fight for him at Denver was followed by a demonstration of enthusiastic loyalty.

### RIVER NEWS

River Stages.			
Cairo	43.8	0.4	rise
Chattanooga	5.9	0.4	fall
Cincinnati	37.5	2.3	fall
Evansville	37.9	0.4	fall
Florence	5.3	0.4	fall
Johnsonville—Missing.			
Louisville	15.7	1.8	fall
Mt. Carmel	24.5	0.2	fall
Nashville	14.2	0.2	fall
Pittsburg	6.1	1.4	fall
St. Louis	19.6	0.5	rise
Mt. Vernon	38.5	0.0	st'd
Paducah	36.9	0.4	rise

Believing that the rise in the river here has at last stopped, the river men are looking hopefully to better business. Barring more rains, the fall will be rapid. The stage this morning showed a rise of 0.5 in the last 24 hours, bringing the stage to 36.9.

With the close of this month, the final page in the book used to keep a record of river observations at this point, will be finished. This book has been used since October, 1897, or for a period of 11 years, and contains a wealth of information about the river here. In it are shown the stage, the change in 24 hours, rainfall, snowfall, direction of the wind and weather conditions for every day during that time. Captain C. A. Pell was river observer from 1897 to 1903 when S. A. Fowler succeeded him. Captain Frank Mantz will store this book away at the end of the month, along with others which show similar records ever since observations were attempted in Paducah. River men with good memories have used this book frequently to verify their statements about river conditions years ago.

When the W. B. Duncan is finished at the ways she will take up the transfer business of the Illinois Central here, and the DeKoven will go to Helena, Ark., where the company has another ferry system. The John Burtram is now at Helena and will come here to lay up until one of the other two boats drops out for repairs or other reasons. Captain Phillips is in charge of the W. B. Duncan. Inspector Green yesterday found little to do on the Duncan.

Many hearts were gladdened this morning by the sound of the calliope on the excursion steamer J. S., which run two excursions out of Paducah this afternoon and tonight. The J. S. had a successful day at Cairo yesterday.

The J. B. Williams passed up for Louisville with empty cool barges last night.

The Pittsburg, with a big tow of coal, passed down at daylight this morning for New Orleans. Another big boat went down just ahead of the Pittsburg, but did not stop here.

An improvement on the Paducah wharftboat that has delighted every river clerk who has yet seen it, is the new lighting system installed this week. It is a gasoline system and the arc lights on the wharftboat make that roomy place as light as day. Formerly clerks had to carry lanterns at night to see their freight, but now this bothersome equipment has been abandoned. Three packets were in last night and all the clerks sent their lanterns back to their boats. The wharftboat will be whitewashed inside so that it will be even brighter at night than at present.

The Kentucky arrived last night from the Tennessee river and is unloading at Brookport today. The Kentucky will clear for the Tennessee river Saturday evening.

Warm weather is giving a great boost to the passenger trade of the packets. People like the cool breezes of the decks of the steamers and the scenery on all the rivers just now is gorgeous. When the river gets a little lower and vacations really come, this department will be bigger than the freight business for many boats. Captain Charles N. Vosburgh, third national vice-president and river busi-



## The Vanishing Fleets

By  
**ROY NORTON**

Pictures by A. Weil

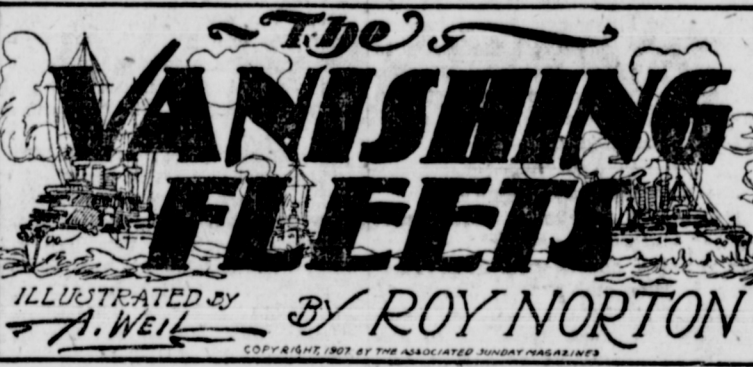
### Some Opinions of The Vanishing Fleets

#### Philadelphia Record

If you are looking for action, something of the marvelous, excitement and mystery, you will suffer no disappointment in reading "The Vanishing Fleets." It pulsates and vibrates with life, and is a quickener of patriotism. Americans are credulous and Mr. Norton has the genius to tell a wonderful story and to keep readers in a delightful state of mystification and expectancy.

#### Brooklyn Eagle

When you are gifted with an imagination—turn it loose; don't hamper it; let it cavort. The results may be astonishing—even paralyzing to the normal conception—but there will be something doing. One concludes that this policy of emancipation was followed by the author of "The Vanishing Fleets." If this story is any indication of Mr. Norton's future, he will go far.



The most start-  
ling and inter-  
esting serial  
story ever  
printed will be  
run in this  
paper in a short  
time—Watch  
For It.

### Some Opinions of The Vanishing Fleets

#### New York Herald

The story is full of dramatic incidents and ingenious surprises, not too dramatic or too ingenious or too surprising to win the qualified belief that one accords to well-imagined and plausible fiction.

#### Salt Lake City Tribune

This is a novel with a purpose, and the story is one of the most ingenious that we have seen for a long time. It is full of the liveliest sort of imagination. It is altogether a great story, and when the things it describes come to pass we shall all get over our belligerent notions.

#### Seattle Post-Intelligencer

Mr. Norton's romance of a war with Japan is enough to send a quiver of excitement through the reader. The romance is born to be a winner.

**This Charming Story Commences  
in The Evening Sun Tomorrow.  
Be Sure and Read the First Chapter.**

ness manager of the Marine Engineers' Beneficial association, left for St. Louis today after spending the week in Paducah among the association members. Captain Vosburgh found Captain Flash's work well in hand and reports a flourishing condition from New Orleans to Pittsburgh from an organization viewpoint, though business is common with all lines is not active. A rousing meeting of the local association was held in the hall, 118 Broadway.

The Saitillo passed up from St. Louis last night for the Tennessee river.

The John Hopkins arrived at 1 o'clock last night from Evansville and left immediately on the return trip. The Joe Fowler will leave Evansville next Tuesday for Paducah.

Passenger business on the Dick Fowler for Cairo this morning was unusually good.

The Russell Lord did not clear for the White river after ties for the big Ayer-Lord Tie company until today.

Before the fine steamer S. S. Brown can come to Paducah from Cairo the river must fall considerably to allow passage under the bridge. The Brown is going to Cincinnati.

The towboat Barrett is bringing the Beaver to the ways at Mound City for repairs. The Beaver lost her wheel. The Barrett has two barges of logs for upper river points.

The James Lee is off the ways at Mound City.

Work on the Starlight at the dry docks is going ahead rapidly.

When the people of the river valleys realize that it is against just such conditions in the Ohio river as now exist, the government is fighting in advocating forest reservations on the Allegheny mountains, a livelier interest will be taken in the administration's recommendations. The river

rose .9 in the last 24 hours and every inch now is inconveniencing some interest materially. These rises probably cannot be decreased by forest reservations, but experts testify that greater uncertainty will prevail in the valleys if the mountains, composing the watersheds, continue to be stripped of their timber.

**Official Forecasts.**  
The Ohio at Evansville, will continue falling during the next several days. At Mt. Vernon will begin falling tonight. At Paducah will continue rising 24 to 36 hours. At Cairo, will rise slowly during the next 36 hours, reaching nearly 44.0 feet.

The Tennessee from Florence to below Johnsonville, will continue falling during the next 24 hours.

The Mississippi from Chester to slightly above Cairo, will continue falling during the next 24 to 36 hours.

The Wabash at Mt. Carmel will fall for an indefinite period.

**SOLDIERS IN HOPTOWN.**  
Owensboro Detail Arrives After a Stay in Paducah.

Hopkinsville, Ky., May 15.—About ten of the Owensboro company which has been on duty at Paducah arrived here. They came unheralded, the first known of their presence being when they marched up to the quarters on Sixth street. The soldiers profess to know nothing of the reason which brought them here or for how long they will remain.

**Big Ocean Travel.**  
The New York correspondent of the Philadelphia Ledger writes: "Another record-breaking year for ocean travel is possible if present prospects at the beginning of the year were dubious of the outlook, their atti-

tude during the last few weeks has changed and they themselves were greatly surprised when the statistics for the first three months of the year were computed last week. Instead of the cabin passenger traffic eastward having decreased by thousands, as many persons had supposed, the figures showed a decrease of only 365 from last year in the first cabins, year.

while the number of second cabin passengers traveling in that direction was 5,229 greater than last year. The travel for the week ending last Friday was a record-breaker for this time of the year. Incoming liners up to April 3 brought in 645 more first cabin passengers than they did during the first three months of last year.

## The Mysterious Mr. Raffles

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Ladies' Bleached Vests, taped neck and arms, good quality	8c

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810-812 Broadway

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Woolcock Flour, sack	85c
Omaha Flour, sack	85c
Quaker Rolled Oats, per	5c
peck	5c
Pure Lard, per lb.	10c
50 lb can Lard	\$5.00
Armour Star Hams, per lb	16c
Country Cured Ham, per	16c
lb	16c
Extra Large Olives, full	25c
pint bottles	25c
3 lb can Tomatoes	19c
2 lb can Tomatoes	17c
Seedless Raisins, 3 pkgs.	25c
Ceroline, 3 pkgs for	25c
Corn, per can	19c
Corn, 3 cans for	25c
Peas, 2 cans for	25c
Peas, 3 cans for	25c
17 lbs Gran. Sugar	\$1.00
French Peas, per can	20c
Fresh Potato Chips, per	10c
package	10c
Mellin's Food, 45c	45c
Paragon Vinegar, per quart	25c
bottle	25c
Ten varieties of Cheese.	
Dressed Turkeys.	
Dressed Belgian Squabs.	
Dressed Springers.	
Dressed Hens.	
Roasting Ear Corn.	
Fancy Tomatoes, per basket	10c
Bell Peppers, per basket or	10c
dozen	10c
Egg Plant, fancy	10c
Lemons, 10c per dozen.	10c
Fancy Bananas, 12 1/2c per	10c
dozen.	10c
3 lb pkgs. Spaghetti for 25c	25c
Apples, 25c per peck.	25c
Pineapples, as long as they	25c
last, 3 for	25c

**\$150  
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## CIRCULATION STATEMENT.

April—1908.

1.....4083	16.....4134
2.....4115	17.....4109
3.....4139	18.....4106
4.....4126	20.....4088
5.....4122	21.....4080
6.....4125	22.....4083
7.....4128	23.....4055
8.....4105	24.....4085
9.....4221	25.....4081
10.....4223	27.....4057
11.....4078	28.....4034
12.....4087	29.....4031
13.....4094	30.....4097

106,646

Average for April, 1908.....4102

Average for April, 1907.....3971

Increase.....131

Personally appeared before me, this  
May 2, 1908, R. D. MacMillen, busi-  
ness manager of The Sun, who affirms  
that the above statement of the cir-  
culation of The Sun for the month of  
April 1908, is true to the best of his  
knowledge and belief.

My commission expires January  
10, 1912.

PETER PURYEAR,  
Notary Public.

## Daily Thought.

"Conduct is simply character vital-  
ized."

## THE CITY TREASURER.

Injustice in more ways than one  
was done City Treasurer J. J. Dorian  
in an article in a local paper, which  
said he was appointed by Mayor  
James P. Smith. Mr. Dorian was not  
appointed, but elected by the people  
of Paducah by a good round majority  
and he is holding by virtue of the will  
of the people expressed at the polls.  
Unquestionably if his right of tenure  
is questioned he will insist on his  
right. He has possession of the office  
and the good will of the people, who  
voted for him.

It would be an unfortunate thing  
if a fiscal office should be dragged  
into the court after the people have  
so emphatically endorsed the conduct  
of the incumbent. If there was a  
question raised about the election and  
the expression of the choice of the  
people, that would be a different  
matter; but the suggestion of a con-  
test means simply that somebody,  
who desires the emoluments of the  
office, intends to resort to a techni-  
cally to defeat the will of the people  
expressed by the ballot, and oust  
the man, who has served them well  
and whom they chose of their own  
free will. Changes in the fiscal offices  
always result in more or less con-  
fusion, while the new official is be-  
coming acquainted, unless it happens  
that the retiring official was incom-  
petent. Since the people have so de-  
cidedly endorsed Mr. Dorian's con-  
duct, it would be disastrous as well  
as unjust to carry the matter into court.  
The attorney general has set the seal  
of his approval on Mr. Dorian's elec-  
tion, ratifying what the people did  
last November.

## ABOUT "LEAGUES."

There is an anti-Taft "league." It  
seems. That is about all there is of  
importance in the press bureau man-  
ufactured information that the "league"  
will institute an investigation into an  
alleged deal between Taft and Wall  
street. The "league" will demand  
that the matter be investigated. The  
persons on whom the demand is made  
will not know how to proceed to in-  
vestigate something that doesn't ex-  
ist, and then the "league's" press bu-  
reau will declare it cannot secure an  
investigation, and the anti-administra-  
tion press will team with innuendo  
that Taft men are afraid to investi-  
gate.

We have become so accustomed to  
the use of Wallstreet as a collective  
noun, that we infer a deal on behalf  
of the whole street as possible, when  
we might as well speak of a deal be-  
tween Taft and Jefferson street or  
the Mayfield road.

"Wall street" in the popular sense  
is about as definite as the word  
"league." Whenever anybody wishes  
to start something and impress people,  
he buys stationery with some sort of  
league letter head on it, and the im-  
agination of the receiver of the letter  
provides the membership of the  
"league."

The origin of the story about a deal  
is obvious. A clique of politicians  
saw in the hammer and tongs method  
of reform adopted by President Roose-  
velt an opportunity to edge into the  
national situation and get some of

the "Wall street" money to organize  
an opposition to him. That account-  
ed for the fight against Taft for the  
nomination and the scheme to hedge  
his state about with favorite sons to  
prevent complimentary instructions  
from his neighbors. No doubt the  
interests bruised by the "Big Stick"  
would have been pleased to nominate  
a reactionary candidate for the presi-  
dency, not knowing the popular feel-  
ing on the subject, and they were  
ready to encourage any scheme that  
promised success. Bryan's backers  
hoped for the same thing. It was a  
strange freak of fancy on the part of  
men, whose national platform for  
twelve years has been venomously  
hostile to the moneyed interests of  
the country, to believe that money  
backing would be sure to elect their  
candidate. Col. Watterson has re-  
peatedly taken the view in the Coun-  
ter-Journal that Bryan stands for a  
fair show to win, because "Wall  
street" is hostile to the administra-  
tion.

Financial interests in the east, we  
must remember, are just as much de-  
pendent on the sound condition of the  
country as are the rest of us, and  
they are not apt to ruin themselves  
to spite the president. They know  
that the administration's course is  
right and will prove correct in the  
long run, and they are now clamoring  
for the anti to get off the track to  
save the business interests of the  
country. That is the deal between  
Taft and Wall street. He has whip-  
ped them, that is all.

## A NOTABLE GATHERING.

Economists, publicists, labor lead-  
ers and statesmen, men whose atten-  
tion to public affairs costs them some-  
thing in time and money, instead of  
remunerating them in cash, are meet-  
ing with President Roosevelt to dis-  
cuss the conservation of our natural  
resources. It is something unique in  
American politics for men to take an  
interest in the affairs of their country,  
except for pay. The men, who are  
discussing the national problems, are  
leaders of thought, and men who have  
successfully accomplished their life's  
work. There are no private interests  
represented in the gathering, there is  
no one in the group seeking an ad-  
vantage for himself or what he rep-  
resents. It is pure patriotism that  
actuates the prominent men at the  
white house meeting.

A number of governors from vari-  
ous states are in attendance. Bryan  
is down for a speech today. With  
consummate tact President Roosevelt  
named various governors to preside  
from day to day. If any of those  
governors have heretofore been self-  
seeking politicians, they will leave  
that notable company better and wiser  
men, encouraged by knowing that  
men can be honest and sincere and  
succeed.

## SLIGHTLY HUMOROUS.

Honesty is being better than you  
have to.

He who does not doubt at all is  
doubtless damned.

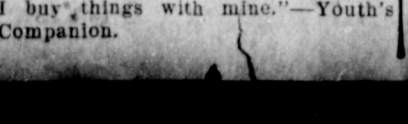
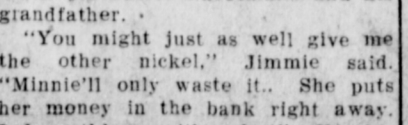
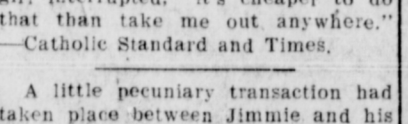
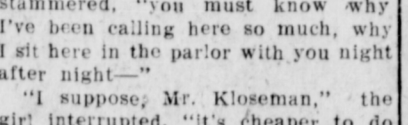
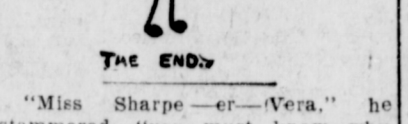
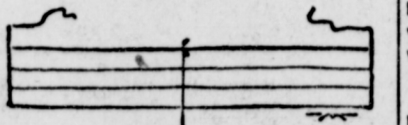
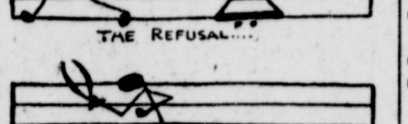
The man who has much starch in  
his neck is likely to have none in  
his backbone.

Church—"This stock market re-  
minds me of the tide."

Gotham—"Because it rises and  
falls, I suppose?"

Church—"Yes, and because there  
is so much water in it."—Yonkers  
Statesman.

## A MUSIC TRAGEDY.



## The MYSTERY

By Stewart Edward White  
And Samuel Hopkins Adams

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(Continued from last issue.)

"The glow came again that night, and  
the next day we picked up Slade," said  
Barnett.

"You know what the glow meant for  
your companions," said Darrow.

"But the ship! The Laughing Lass,  
man! She's vanished. No one has  
seen her since."

"You are wrong there," said Darrow.  
"I have seen her."

In a common impulse the little circle  
leaned to him.

"Yes, I have seen her. I wish I had  
not. Let me bring my story back to  
the cave on the island. After the vol-  
canic gases had driven me to the ref-  
uge I sat near the mouth of the cave,  
looking out into the darkness. That  
was the night of the 7th, the night you  
saw the last glow. It was very dark,  
except for occasional bursts of fire  
from the crater. Judge of my im-  
mense amazement when in an ac-  
cess of this illumination I saw plainly  
a schooner hardly a mile offshore, com-  
ing in under bare poles."

"Under bare poles?" cried Slade.  
"The hulls must have disinte-  
grated from some slow action of the  
celestial. It could be destructive, ter-  
rifically destructive. You shall judge.  
There was the schooner, naked as your  
hand. Possibly I might have thought it  
a hallucination but for what came af-  
ter. Darkness fell again. I supposed  
then that Handy, Solomon's crew  
were managing or mismanaging the  
Laughing Lass without the aid of their  
leader, whom I had satisfactorily bur-  
ied. I hoped they would come ashore  
on the rocks. Yes, I was vengeful then.

"Of a sudden there sprang from the  
darkness a ship of light. You have all  
seen those great electric effects at ex-  
positions. Some one touches a button,  
you know. It was like that, only that  
the piercingly brilliant jeweled wonder  
of a ship was set in the midst of a  
swirl of varicolored radiance such as I  
can't begin to describe. You saw it  
from a distance. Imagine what it was,  
coming close upon you that way, dead  
on, out of the night—a living glory, a  
living terror."

His voice sank. With a shaking  
hand he fumbled amid his cigarette  
papers.

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"As a point of interest," granted  
Trendon.

Every one looked at his outstretched  
hand. A little pocket compass lay in  
the palm. The needle spun madly,  
projecting blue, vivid sparklings.

"My God!" cried Slade and covered  
his eyes for a moment.

He snatched away his hands as a  
suppressed cry went up from the oth-  
ers.

"As I expected," said Darrow quietly.  
The little craft opened out. It dis-  
integrated. All that radiance dissolved,  
and with its going the substance upon  
which it shaped itself vanished. The  
last glow showed a formless pulp,  
spreading upon the water.

"So passed the Laughing Lass," said  
Darrow solemnly.

"And the chest is at the bottom of  
the sea," said Barnett.

"Good place for it," muttered Tren-  
don.

"In all probability it closed as the  
ship dissolved around it," said Darrow.  
"Otherwise we should see the effects  
in the water."

"It might be recovered," cried Slade  
excitedly. "Could you chart it, Dar-  
row? Think of the possibilities!"

"Let it lie," said the captain. "Has  
it not cost enough? Let it lie."

The water in the tub fumed and  
sparkled faintly and was still. Dark-  
ness fell except where Darrow's cig-  
arette point glowed and faded.

THE END.

## YOU DON'T HAVE TO WAIT

Every dose makes you feel better. Last-  
Po keeps your whole insides right. Sold on the  
money-back plan everywhere. Price 50 cents.

## BEBOUT WINS

RE-ELECTED GREAT REPRESENT-  
ATIVE OF RED MEN.

W. E. Buck Appointed Great Guard  
of the Wigwam of Kentucky  
Great Council.

Paducah representatives of the Red  
Men returned from Frankfort this  
morning, where they attended the  
state meeting of the Red Men. In  
the party were: J. J. Freundlich, W.  
E. Buck, L. L. Bebout and Judge D.  
A. Cross. The meeting was a grand  
success, and the citizens of the cap-  
ital city extended every courtesy to  
the visiting tribe. Mr. Bebout was re-  
elected great representative to the  
great council of the United States,  
and Mr. Buck was appointed great  
guard of the wigwam of the great  
council of Kentucky. Judge Cross'  
term did not expire this year as a  
member of the great council of ap-  
peals of the great council of Ken-  
tucky.

Wednesday's Kentucky State Jour-  
nal, of Frankfort, contained a good  
half tone of Mr. L. L. Bebout of this  
city. Mr. Bebout was a great rep-  
resentative of the Red Men, who met  
in the capital city this year, and is  
one of the most prominent Red Men  
in the state.

## \$35,000 HAUL

BANDITS ROB STATION SAFE AND  
MAKE ESCAPE.

Posse is Pursuing Them Over Moun-  
tains Along Santa Fe Road.

El Paso, Tex., May 15.—Pursued  
by men and bloodhounds three band-  
its with \$35,000 in their possession  
ore fleeing through the rugged moun-  
tain passes north of French, on the  
Santa Fe railroad, in an effort to es-  
cape the pursuing officers.

At French they broke down the  
doors of the depot, bound and gagged  
the station agent and special guard,  
blew open the safe, took the money  
and rode away, leaving their victims  
helpless.

## THEATRICAL NOTES

## At the Crystal.

The amateur performance at the  
Crystal theater last night was one of  
the best ever given at the play  
house and a large crowd enjoyed the  
efforts of local talent. John and  
Harry Berry captured first prize in  
doing an acrobatic turn. Little Miss  
Pearl Riley second prize, and May-  
nard and Rock third. Amateur per-  
formances are given every Friday  
night.

## Woodmen of the World.

Jersey camp, No. 10, Paducah, Ky.,  
will have their annual decoration and  
memorial services at Oak Grove cem-  
etery Sunday, May 17, 1908, at 2:30  
p. m. Will leave Jersey camp hall,  
Thrift and Elizabeth streets, at 1:30  
p. m. Evergreen and Manchester  
groves, Woodmen Circle, will take  
part in the services. All other mem-  
bers of the Woodmen of the World  
and Woodmen Circle are requested to  
attend and assist in the services.

## S. B. PRYOR.

## R. C. WALLACE.

## J. A. CALLOWAY.

## A. C. SHELTON, Committee.

He—Do you believe all this about  
man being descended from a monkey?  
She—You surely haven't the face to  
deny it?—Philadelphia Inquirer.

## KNOWLEDGE IS POWER!

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Startling Proof of His Strange Powers. He Mysti-  
fies His Callers. The World's Greatest  
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QUESTION, TELLS NAME,  
AGE AND OCCUPATION  
OF EVERY CALLER, SO  
CAN THE FUTURE BE  
TOLD.

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ANY KIND?

Discontented, unhappy, or  
not satisfied in life? Have  
you any domestic or past trou-  
bles that annoy you? But no  
matter what your troubles  
may be, you will be told of  
them and receive the proper  
advice.

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TROUBLES.

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and your entire future, and  
everything can be told by con-  
sulting this world eminent  
clairvoyant and Spirit Medium  
who is the greatest master of  
occult science and psychic  
forces the world has ever  
known. His predictions are  
always correct, and never fail  
to come true, as thousands of  
people will testify.

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KNOW—ADVICE THAT  
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IN 1920.



Stern Mother: "So you wish to marry my son, do you?"  
Young Woman: "Yes, ma'am."  
Stern Mother: "Are you able to support him in that condition of idleness, to which he has always been accustomed?"

## THE LOCAL NEWS

—Dr. Gilbert, osteopath, 400 1/2 Broadway. Phone 196.

—Forms for real estate agents for sale at this office.

—Mr. H. C. Hollins has left the city for a few months, and I have acquired an interest in his business and shall look after it for him. Any information with reference to any branch of it will receive prompt attention if you will call up The Sun office. Both phones 358. E. J. Paxton.

—We can give you the finest carriages in the city for wedding, ball and theater calls. Our prices are lower than those charged for like service in any city in America. Our service is second to none, and the best in this city. Palmer Transfer Company.

—If you want a nice lawn sown Brunson's lawn grass seed. Flower seed that grow. Brunson's Flower Shop, 529 Broadway.

—Cameras, Cameras, Cameras, and Kodak supplies of all kinds at R. D. Clements & Co.

—Straw and Panama hats cleaned, guaranteed. New York Shine Parlor, 408 1/2 Broadway.

—For house numbers, door plates, brass stenets, brass and aluminum checks of all kinds, rubber type signs, markers. See The Diamond Stamp Works, 115 South Third. Phone 358.

A 25c box of our exterminator will rid your home of those mean roaches, mice or rats. Your money back if it doesn't. Kämleiter, the grocer.

—The board of public works has rejected all bids for the improvement and paving of Clark street from Tenth street to Eleventh street and Gouge avenue from Clark street to Bronson avenue. The estimates furnished were considered too high and new bids are asked.

—Tickets for the ball game Sunday afternoon between the Paducah team and the Paris, Tenn., nine are now on sale at Gilbert's drug store.

—R. T. Riley and W. W. Covington brought to Paducah and sold today a three-year-old Durham, weighing 1,700 pounds, probably the largest animal of that age sold here in years. He was raised in Graves county by Buck Carrio.

—Place your orders for wedding invitations at home. The Sun is showing as great an assortment as you will find anywhere, at prices much lower than you will have to pay elsewhere.

—The Ladies Aid society of Kentucky Avenue Presbyterian church will have a cake sale at Ogilvie's tomorrow.

—The Ramsey society will have a cake sale at Rudy & Sons tomorrow.

—Mr. Harry Collins, one of Paducah's most popular singers, and Mr. Owen Tully, another of Paducah's

## SPRING CLEANING TIME INS CT POWDER

In the mind of the scrupulous housewife, spring cleaning and bug exterminators are indissolubly linked — and rightly so. Bug exterminators, insect powders and moth balls are as necessary to house cleaning as soap and water and we have the best line of them that can be bought. We handle the Diamond Brand of pure Delmatian Insect Powder put up in convenient sized packages

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## DRAGGING LAKE AFTER VICTIMS

Sheriff Expects to Find More Bodies at Laporte.

Evidence in Case Continues to Accumulate, But Mystery Still Envelopes House of Horrors.

LAMPHERE'S INTEREST IN IT

Laporte, Ind., May 15.—Sheriff Smutzer will drag Flisr Trap lake, near the Guinness home, Mrs. Greening, mother of Emil Greening, of Oklahoma City, the sweetheart of Jennie Olson, having notified Smutzer that she is sure their bodies are in the lake.

More Evidence.  
Laporte, Ind., May 15.—Portions of human jaw bones and bits of skin on which there are traces of hair were found in the cellar of the Guinness farm house, are considered by the authorities as evidence of another victim in the growing and gruesome list of dark tragedies alleged to have been committed by the mysterious Mrs. Guinness.

The discoveries, according to the detectives and prosecuting officials of the county, are the most valuable since the noted farm murder mysteries have been under probe. It is certain that the pieces of bones are those of a human, but as yet the authorities have been unable to determine the nature of the skin and hair.

The startling denouement which County Prosecutor Smith intimated were on the eve of being sprung, detailing the as yet mysterious crimes, are still retained, but, it is said, today's discovery affords even further sensational evidence to that already in possession of the officials and constabulary.

Would Hang Lamphere.  
The county prosecutor declared today that he would hang Ray Lamphere, "if not for the murder of Mrs. Guinness, for the murder of Andrew K. Helgelein."

It was denied that the Rev. E. A. Schell, pastor of the First Methodist church here, to whom Lamphere is alleged to have made a confession, played detective in order to obtain further testimony from the man.

Lamphere's attorneys vigorously deny that he ever made any confession to the minister.

The victims of the wives of the mysterious Mrs. Guinness who are said to have been murdered and their bodies buried on the farm are compiled as follows:

Andrew K. Helgelein, Aberdeen, S. R.; Ole Budsberg, Iola, Wis.; Olaf Limbult, Chicago; Lee Porter, Edinburg, Ill.; John Moo, Elbow Lake, Minn.; George Henry, Tuscola, Ill.; Henry Gutholt, Scandinavia, Wis.; Olaf Jensen, Christiansia, Norway; Emil Tell, Osage City, Kas.; Charles Edman, New Carlisle, Ind.; Herman Konitzer, Chicago; Aug. Gunderson, Green Lake, Wis.; Ole Oleson, Battle Creek, Mich.; Lindner Nikkelsen, Huron, S. D.; Andrew Anderson, Lawrence, Kas.; and Johann Sorensen, St. Joseph, Mo.

Threaten Prosecutor.  
Morbidly inclined females continue to flood County Prosecutor Smith with threatening letters, many of them declaring that Lamphere is "an innocent man," while others say that "Mrs. Guinness is still alive and kicking."

Louis Schulz, the miner who is getting the ashes from the cellar of the Guinness home, has found a number of bits of metal which he has turned over to Sheriff Smutzer. These are believed to be bits of gold. The miner has also found small pieces of bone.

Evidence From Banks.  
It has been decided by the officials of the county to have those banks where Mrs. Guinness kept her deposits to furnish a list of them together with a list of the checks paid out. The banks as yet have imparted no information along this line and the evidence they are expected to furnish is believed to be of much importance.

GENTRY'S SHOWS  
Have Creditable Parade and Show—Big Crowd in Attendance.

The Gentry Brothers show is here today for two performances, this afternoon and tonight. They gave a creditable parade this morning and the afternoon are playing to nearly the capacity of their tent. The Gentry shows improve each year, and the one this year is doing the best business in its career.

Tim Moody May Die.  
A son of Tim Moody and a son of Levi Roberts, boys about 8 and 10 years of age, were thrown from a mule last Sunday near their home in the southwest part of the county and quite seriously hurt. The Moody boy sustained a fractured skull and his recovery is very doubtful. The Roberts boy suffered a broken jaw and was otherwise bruised up considerably.—Murray Ledger.

Citizen (curiously)—Can women where you come from make their will?

Stranger (sadly)—They don't have to. They've got it ready made.—St. Louis Republic.

Try the Sun for Job Work.

## IN SOCIAL CIRCLES

Pleasant Surprise.

A pleasant surprise party was given Mr. Edwin Randle last night by his class mates at his home, "Briarbrae," near Maxon Mills. The senior class made the trip in a large wagon, and returned last night after several pleasant hours. Mr. Randle is spade bearer for the senior class of the High school, and one of the most popular students. Miss Adah L. Brazelton, of the High school faculty, chaperoned the students. In the party were: Misses Eunice Robertson, Sallie Smith, Bess Lane, Marguerite Schwab, Adah L. Brazelton, and Messrs. Will Rock and Gus Elliott.

Sweet Girl Graduates.

Miss Lucile Du Val Perryman, of Knoxville, Tenn., and daughter of the Rev. and Mrs. G. W. Perryman, will be graduated from Georgetown college next June. Miss Perryman formerly lived in this city and went through the sophomore year in the Paducah High school. Her father was pastor of the First Baptist church for several years before accepting the pastorate of a church at Knoxville. Miss Perryman has visited here often since removing to Knoxville and is remembered as a girl of many accomplishments.

Miss Eloise Bradshaw, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Bradshaw, 1520 Broadway, will be graduated from Belmont college, in Nashville, next Wednesday. Mrs. W. F. Bradshaw and W. F. Bradshaw, Jr., will leave tomorrow to attend the commencement. Miss Bradshaw is one of Paducah's brightest girls, and she will be graduated with the degree of B. A. She was a student in the High school for three years before entering Belmont college.

Former Paducahan Married in Missouri.

Mr. and Mrs. M. T. Finley, of the Benton road, have received the announcement of the marriage of their son, Mr. Clay Finley, of Leavenworth, Kan., to Miss Anna Boldock, of St. Joseph, Mo., on April 20th. Mr. Finley, while in Paducah was connected with the Rehkopf Harness company, but is now in the government service at Leavenworth.

Art Department Present Attractive Program for Final Meeting.

The Art department of the Woman's club, Miss Anna Webb, chairman, will have its final meeting for this season on Saturday morning at 10 o'clock at the Woman's club house. The program to be featured is: Palma Vecchio—Mrs. John J. Dorian; Tintoretto—Mrs. Sydney Loeb; Casparcio—Miss Belle Cave; Paul Veronese—Miss Dow Husbands.

D. A. R. Chapter to Hold Called Meeting Saturday.

Paducah chapter, Daughters of the American Revolution will meet in called session tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock with Dr. Della Caldwell, 735 Broadway. Pictures of the Memorial Fountain that have been sent by Mr. Taft, the sculptor who is making the designs for the fountain, will be inspected. It is urged that every member be present as the opinion of each is desired.

U. D. C. Committee Meeting.

The executive and program committees of the Paducah chapter, United Daughters of the Confederacy, will meet this afternoon at 4 o'clock with the chapter president, Mrs. James Koger, 305 North Seventh street. The object of the meeting is to arrange for the final meeting of the chapter for this season in June, which is always made more of a social occasion. The meeting will not be on the regular first Tuesday of the month, as that is June 2, and the State Federation of Woman's clubs will be in session here then, but probably the following week.

Enjoyable Evening.

Miss Mary White entertained a number of her friends on Wednesday evening at her home, at Twenty-third and Monroe streets. Games and music and the features of the evening during which refreshments were served. Those present were: Misses Mattie Thompson, Enah McIntire, Bessie Buchanan, Nannie Watkins, Kitty Woodward, Gladys Stewart, Mary White, Ethel Miles, Julia White, Gladys Sams; Messrs. Polk Graves, Emmett Morris, Robert McIntire, Luther Neely, Harry Gilliam, Forest McIntire, Harry Watkins, Waldo Hawley, James Lukens and Albert White.

Dr. James T. Gilbert to Marry Miss Stamper, of Owenton.

The News-Herald, Owenton, Ky., May 14, makes the following announcement which is of especial interest here:

"Mrs. Chas. M. Stamper announces the marriage of her daughter, Ada Blanche, to Dr. James Thomas Gilbert, of Paducah, Ky., Thursday, May 28, 1920."

Dr. Gilbert is a prominent young osteopath of this city. He has lived in Paducah about four years, coming here from Russellville, Ky., and has established a wide practice as well as made a large circle of friends.

Miss Stamper is a sister of Dr. Elbridge G. Stamper, of the Stamper Bros. Dental and Medical Institute of this city, and is an attractive young lady, who will be a pleasant acquisition to Paducah social life.

The marriage will take place in Cincinnati. The Rev. E. J. Vick, of

Louisville, will perform the ceremony. The couple will make their home in Paducah.

Mr. C. G. Kelly, secretary of the school board, who is ill of malaria, is much improved today.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Mulsey, of 813 Jarrett street, are the parents of a girl baby born yesterday.

Dr. I. B. Howell returned at noon today from Birmingham, Ala., where he attended the annual convention of the southern branch of the National Dental association.

Judge Thomas P. Cook was here today en route to Murray on Eddyville, where he has been holding court.

Mr. George Downs and Clifton Ferguson, of Murray, are in the city.

Attorney Charles H. Wilson, of Smithland, attended court today. Mr. W. D. Hendricks, of Hazel, is the guest of his sister-in-law, Mrs. A. I. Sexton, 335 North Sixteenth street.

Miss Aline Bagby returned last night from a visit to Cincinnati and Louisville.

Mrs. John W. Cheneault, of Arlington, has gone to Paducah to visit a few days before returning home. She has been the guest of J. W. Hocker and W. S. Mason.—Mayfield Messenger.

Manager A. L. Joynes, of the Cumberland Telephone company, returned this morning from a business trip to Clinton.

Hon. J. C. Speight, of Mayfield, is in the city.

Col. S. H. Crossland, of Mayfield, was here this morning en route to Murray.

Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Washam, of Benton, are the guests of Mrs. Bettie Jones, 503 Washington street.

Mr. Murray Cabell, of Chicago, is here to attend court as a witness.

Miss Claribel Rieke, 528 Kentucky avenue, returned last evening from an extended visit to her sister, Mrs. Charles Trueheart, in Louisville. Mr. George Langstaff returned this morning from a southern business trip.

Miss Sallie Grassham, of Salem, is visiting her sister, Mrs. C. E. Purcell, 512 Clark street.

Mr. Frank Boone, who suffered a stroke of paralysis yesterday, is unimproved today and it will be several days yet before a definite turn either way can be reported.

Mrs. S. B. Moore, wife of the pastor of the First Christian church, and her brother, Mr. Levi Thomas, are visiting their old home at Marietta, Ohio.

## NEWS OF COURTS

In Circuit Court.

Judge Reed will not attempt to hold court again at this session and left this morning for Dawson Springs for an indefinite stay. Special Judge Hendrick will sit in all cases, excepting those in which he is interested.

Judgment was entered this morning giving the Massillon Engine and Machinery company \$427 and the Jackson Foundry and Machine company \$161 against W. W. English. The machinery company is adjudged to have a prior lien on a lot in Mechanicsburg, while the foundry has a prior lien on the machinery.

J. W. Englert, C. C. Carrington and George W. Greif were excused from further jury service and R. E. Parrish, J. D. Smith and J. W. Bryan substituted.

The Evansville Brewing association was given judgment against J. A. Bloodworth, etc., for \$129 and the law firm of Coleman & Linn at Murray judgment against Bloodworth for \$150.

A verdict for \$500 damages was given Gus Kraus against the Paducah Home Telephone company. Kraus was a three-year-old child from a lot at Ninth street and Broadway and broke his leg while playing on the wires.

A judgment and order of sale was entered in the suit of M. D. Sublette against F. G. Rudolph, administrator of the estate of M. C. Vaughan.

The suit of A. G. Owsley against the Globe Bank & Trust company was called this morning, but continued until afternoon to allow the sheriff an opportunity to secure qualified men for jury service, the panel having been exhausted. Owsley is suing for \$2,000, which he claimed to have placed on deposit in the bank and it is alleged was misappropriated by W. B. Smith, while president of the institution. The bank denies liability on the ground that it was a personal transaction between Smith and Owsley.

A verdict for the defendant was rendered in the \$10,000 damage suit of Austin C. Morrison against the Columbia Manufacturing company.

Marriage Licenses.  
Robert Lilley and Della Chestnut.

In Police Court.

Police Judge Cross returned this morning and occupied the chair of justice in the police court room. The judge had a good docket to occupy his attention. The docket read: Drunk—Joe Conti, \$1 and costs. Criminal assault—Frank Blote, colored, continued until tomorrow. Drunk and disorderly—Jesse Ivey and Walter Logan, colored, Ivey fined \$5, Logan \$20 and the cost was divided; Pay Hurt, \$5 and costs. Breach of peace—Tom Moore and Sidney Lewis both colored, \$20 and costs; Boss Sergeant and Herbert Whitnell, continued until Monday. Malicious shooting—Boss Sergeant, continued until Monday. Wilful trespass—Arthur Trice, colored, held to answer and bond fixed at \$100. Jumping on and off moving train—Will Johnson, colored, \$5 and costs.

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## WANT ADS.

Subscribers inserting want ads in The Sun will kindly remember that all such items are to be paid for when the ad is inserted, the rule applying to every one without exception.

FOR heating and stovewood ring 437. F. Levin.

WANTED—Two furnished rooms downstairs. Ring 955, new phone.

FOR RENT—Four room house on Clay street near 16th. Hank Bros.

OVERSTREET, the painter. Old phone 2559.

FOR RENT—Three room house, 1030 Monroe street. F. M. Fisher.

FRANK HEGARTY, plastering contractor. Prompt attention to jobbing. Phones 1833.

FOR MOVING, hauling, packing or picnic wagon, call 705. Both phones. George Rock.

STEEPLE-JACK and elevator man John Buell and Ben Smith, foot of Monroe street, sand office.

FOR SALE—Four-room house and lot in Mechanicsburg. A bargain at \$250. Address "Bargain," care Sun.

J. E. MORGAN horse shoeing, general repairing, rubber tires, 402 South Third.

WANTED—Lady solicitor of neat appearance. Apply Credit Tailors, 118 1-2 South Third street.

CEMETERY WORK given prompt attention. Joseph Mattison, Jr., at the cemetery.

CARPENTER contractor. Prompt attention to repairing. Call E. E. Moore. New phone 528.

FURNITURE EXCHANGE—Pays best price for furniture and stoves. 205 South Third. New phone 901-a.

For Sale.

Gasoline launch 22 feet long, 6 horse-power, 10 miles an hour. Phone 423.

STRAW HATS called for, cleaned and delivered. South Side Pressing club. Both phones.

BICYCLE REPAIRS—Phone 1015 new phone, and we will call for and deliver work promptly. Welkert & Hugg, 126 North Fifth.

PASTURAGE—Two hundred acres good, shady, plenty water and more grass than 100 horses can eat. Apply John W. Roof. Phones 745.

GET OUT that old suit of last year and have it cleaned and pressed by James Duffy, South Ninth near Broadway, and it will look like new.

FOR SALE—One new and one second-hand fireproof combination safe. Paducah Printing and Book Binding Company.

FOR RENT—Ten room dwelling, 1219-1221 Trimble street, only \$16, including water. Apply M. J. Friedman, 128 South Third.

FOR RENT—Two front office rooms, between Fifth and Sixth on Broadway, will be vacant May 27. H. F. Singleton. Phone 119.

WANTED—Young ladies of neat appearance can make \$3 to \$5 per day. Apply to Mrs. C. W. Nichol, 433 Clark street, at 8 a. m.

FOR SALE—One 14 horse-power gasoline engine, Franklin make. Suitable for gasoline boat. Newly overhauled. Will sell at a bargain. Address V. I. Knowles, care Sun.

FOR SALE—At a bargain, seven-room slate roof new brick house. Lot 55x165, on Sixteenth street between Monroe and Madison. Ring old phone 1562.

COOK WANTED—Old phone 2123.

FOR RENT—3 rooms, furnished or unfurnished. Ring 2255.

FURNISHED rooms for light house-keeping; 313 Madison.

WANTED—Two solicitors of neat appearance. Apply 518 Broadway. Ask for Mr. Bourquin.

LAWN MOWERS sharpened and adjusted at John Greif's, 318 Washington street.

WANTED—A good colored cook at once. Apply at Folz's, 213 Broadway.

ARTS & MASON successors to Mr. J. W. Agnew. Shop 709 South Fifth street. All kinds of fixture and other carpenter work.

SALESMAN WANTED—Sell retail trade, your locality; \$65 per month and expenses to start, or commission. Experience unnecessary. Hermling-sen Cigar Co., Toledo, O.

FOR SALE—Typewriter, Remington No. 7, and typewriter desk, both good as new. Will sell cheap. R. S. Van Loon, Cochran Apartments. Old phone 1386.

W. O. W. Memorial.

Jersey camp W. O. W. and Manchester Grove, W. C. have arranged to hold memorial ceremonies at Oak Grove Sunday afternoon. The camp members will assemble at the hall at Third and Elizabeth streets and march to the cemetery, while the ladies will go to the cemetery on the street cars. A. C. Shelton, Jack Calloway, R. C. Wallace and S. B. Pryor compose the committee on arrangements.

Marshall Hardy.

Mr. Marshall Hardy, a brother of Mrs. Jennie Routup of Paducah, died at Jordan, Fulton county, yesterday of blood poisoning caused from a cut received while sharpening a knife on a grindstone. Mr. Hardy was 37 years old and leaves a mother, three sisters and five brothers.

Notice.

All members of Manchester Grove No. 20, are urged to be present at Jersey camp hall, Third and Elizabeth streets, Sunday, May 17, at 1 p. m. sharp to assist the camp in memorial service and decorating at Oak Grove at 2:30 p. m.

A. L. ISEMAN, W. G. NORA JORDAN, Clerk.

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White Flour, a bag 75c

Swans Down, a bag 80c

4 X Coffee, a package 15c

1 box Soda Crackers 25c

3 loaves Bread 10c

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Grand Ma's Washing Powder, 2 packages 5c

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Lemons, a dozen 12 1/2c

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We have three kinds of chicken feed, for old and little chicks.

Basket and half pound of tea 25c

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Potato Chips, fresh and nice, 3 packages 25c

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Says he wouldn't think of going away from Paducah without coming in to see the handsomest store in this section of Kentucky. He will call here Saturday Afternoon Between 2 and 6.

**\$125 REWARD**

If you capture him in the store.

**J. L. Wolff**  
Jeweler

### Idle Cars.

The statement issued by the American Railway Association a few days ago giving the number of idle cars in the country shows that \$375,770,000 was at that time inactive. This calculation was based on the average cost of a car at \$1,000, the number in the idle class being 770,000. A continuous line made up of these cars would be about 2,846 miles long. In speaking of this condition C. H. Ewings, Superintendent of Freight Transportation of the New York Central system, said that since the report had been issued business had increased, and was now growing. The Central system has 25,000 cars still idle, due, to a large extent, to the stagnation in coal and ore transportation. Despite this depression, business is growing, which is shown by the fact that there had been 35,000 cars idle. If the Central's idle cars were coupled they would make a train 189 miles long reaching from the Grand Central Station to Albany, and thence past Shenectady and Amsterdam and two miles beyond Ponda.—New York Tribune.

### Diving for Fish.

A unique method of fishing is employed by natives along the Panahang River. Two dugout boats are employed about thirty feet long, with two men with long poles, one in the bow, the

other at the stern, punting the boat along. They stretch a rope made of bamboos and plaited grass about a hundred yards long and weighted about every ten yards with big stones. This they let down into the water, and the fish are frightened toward the bank. The divers then jump in three at a time, remaining down about twenty seconds.

They carry gaffs about eighteen inches long and fishhooks with cords attached. When they strike a fish they let go the gaff and the fish is hauled up in the boat. A big fire is lighted on the bank and the men warm themselves before it when not diving.—Rangoon Gazette.

Mrs. Jones—You seem to have implicit confidence in your husband.  
Mrs. Smith—Of course I have. He never turns pale when I tell him he talked in his sleep.—Chicago News.

"I cannot live but a week longer without you!" "Really, Duke? Now how can you fix on a specific length of time?" "Ze landlord fix on it, miss; not I."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

Many a man who joins in the anvil chorus would be ashamed to play second fiddle.

Don't wait until tomorrow to neglect things you should neglect today.

## 200,000 PLANTS

The largest assortment of roses and plants in the city, also 25,000 plants at less than 3 cents. 175,000 other plants to select from. See us before placing your order.

**SCHMAUS BROS.**  
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The Book, Music and Soda Fountain Man.

## \$150 REWARD

Come and have some Ice Cream with RAFFLES when he visits our up-to-date Ice Cream Parlor Saturday, May 16.

We call your attention to our fine line of Chocolates and Bon Bons.

Remember, the \$150 is yours if you capture Raffles in our store Saturday.

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## NATIVE LIFE IN MANILA

The Funny Things One Sees  
in  
Smiling Round the World

By  
MARSHALL P. WILDER

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The native women of Manila still wear gay skirts, with a separate piece of dark goods folded over them like paniers, or a long wide apron of satin, richly embroidered.

At first I thought wide-striped skirts were worn in imitation of the American flag, until told that it was a fashion that had prevailed for many years. The women of the poorer class go barefoot, and their skirts are abbreviated in every way, their waists generally slipping from one shoulder, and their hair untidy when it is not hanging altogether loose, in thick, black masses. The women of all classes are constantly smoking cigars or cigarettes. They carry the children astride on one hip, instead of on the back as in Japan and some parts of China.

One of the funniest sights I ever saw was a scantily clothed Filipino woman carrying a boy about three years old astride of her hip. He wore a tiny green shirt, his only garment; on his head an old derby hat was jammed down to his ears; and, to complete the picture, his mother took a cigar about eight inches long from her mouth, while she chattered with a shopman, and put it in the boy's mouth for safekeeping.

The men are taking to foreign customs more rapidly, and numbers of them wear regular shoes and put a gauze undershirt beneath their outside drape of one of just. Some of these exquisite just shirts are so fine they are a mere thought, and must certainly be worn for ornament only, for they serve neither as a protection or covering. So delicate is the thread that, in weaving, it is protected by gauze from the gentlest breeze.

The Chinese are the only industrious portion of the population and practically control the retail trade among the natives. Many of them are married to Filipino women, who make them good Catholics before they consent to marry them. A native woman who gets a Chinese husband is very lucky, for she will then be assured of a living, as he will work for her and his children, something a Filipino cannot always be depended upon to do.

Water carriers are constantly going about the streets, and the most of them carry the water in the ubiquitous Standard Oil cans, slung from a bamboo yoke laid across the shoulders. In every part of the orient, beginning at Honolulu, through Japan, in far Cathay, not stopping at India's coral strand, but all the way around to Egypt—the traveler will find the Standard Oil can used for every conceivable purpose. The Kanaka boys



Chinese in Demand as Husbands.

In Honolulu ball out their canoes with them, they are water cans everywhere, lanterns are made from them in Japan, utensils in China, cut up for ornaments in other places, and in Egypt used to pack dates in! Hundreds of thousands of these cans are sent east—filled with Standard Oil—truly, the light of Asia!

Filipino men seem to incline toward the bootblack trade, there being more stands than there is seemingly a demand for. The opportunities between customers for rest in the chairs is the attraction that commends this trade to the case-loving Filipinos.

Their greatest pleasure in life is cock-fighting, and there is no little shack without its petted and pampered rooster, tied by the leg and tenderly watched and cared for. If the family goes out for a little jaunt, or an hour's recreation, the woman may see to the children the best she can, while the man goes tenderly along, nursing the precious fowl in his arms.

If the house catches fire a native will first save his rooster, before he even thinks of his family. On every harbor boat, where families live, the rooster, the most important member of the family, may be seen tied to the mast, and at sunrise Manila is a very pandemonium of crowing cocks. Everyone gets up early, for sleep is impossible.

The people are passionately fond of music and their ear is marvelously true. There are 150 native bands in Manila, not more than a half dozen members out of the whole number be-

ing able to read a note of music. They play by ear entirely, like our negroes of the Southern states, yet their instruments are always in perfect tune and their playing is harmonious and beautiful.

We had been told such alarming things about Manila, and warned so earnestly against indulging in various edibles, that we entered the city in fear and trembling, but we found the drinking water delicious, the little Bay View hotel comfortable and the table quite good, considering the limitations. At least there was good butter and delicious bread, two things that are not always found in places more pretentious.

Mosquitoes were troublesome at night, but canopies over the beds were ample protection, while the trade winds, constant the year around, proved the assertion of the Maillians that nowhere do people enjoy more sound or refreshing sleep.

In the houses which have sliding screens instead of windows little lizards take up their homes, sitting along the walls and calling to each other with a peculiar chuckling cry.



Constantly Smoking Cigars.

They are harmless little creatures and no one seems to mind them in the least.

Housekeeping is rather hard for Americans, for the servants are both incompetent and lazy. Marketing has to be done by the head of the household and everything chattered over has to be taken home afterward, for nothing is delivered. This, together with the strain of being constantly on the watch against thieving, is trying to the nerves of the newcomer.

The Spaniards used to soundly whip their Filipino servants, engendering in them, as they believed, a wholesome fear and respect. They have no fear of corporal reproof from the Americans, consequently are lazy, saucy and worthless to the last degree.

An American who has fairly good servants, whom he has had from four to seven years, was asked how he managed it, and he said he resorted to the old custom of whipping them, with the result that instead of the contempt most servants have for their indulgent American employers, he has their respect and affection, and nothing could drive them from his employ. Some reformers might throw up their hands and indulge in protest against this, but the Filipino mind seems to work on those lines, believing it more comfortable to adapt oneself to existing circumstances.

Native life in the suburbs of Manila is the most unreal and fantastic I have ever seen. It looks as if everything were arranged for exhibition and nothing real or permanent. The little nipa houses, smothered in groves of banana trees, seem merely temporary ornaments. The women leaning from their windows, cigarettes in mouth, look as if posing for their pictures, and all the sights and sounds are so theatrical and brilliant that it seems as if there should be a sign up reading, "For this occasion only!"

Much criticism has been rife in the States as to Aguinaldo's treatment by the government. The opinion was almost universal that a man who had cost the United States so much in lives and money should have been executed, or at least punished severely.

When one sees the Filipino people and hears the opinion of wise old residents it is apparent that the government could have done no better and had handled the matter with the most far-sighted diplomacy. Had he been executed, in accordance with the cry of numerous hot-headed stay-at-homes who demanded it, he would have immediately assumed the proportions of a martyr in the eyes of the people; his blood, like dragon's teeth, from which would have sprung arms and war, and a struggle indefinitely prolonged.

The emotional, irrational people would have gone crazy with patriotic zeal, their blood fired by the heroic death of a martyr, and the consequences would have been too far-reaching to be counted.

But the commonplace, humdrum farmer at Cavite does not appeal to them in the least, for very little of a hero, according to their ideas, can be made of a man who ends his theatrical career so ingloriously.

Shorn of all attraction Aguinaldo is gradually losing his admirers. If he has not already done so, and the whole matter seems quietly dying out.

The policy of the government was most wise, and though closely watched there need be no fear, for his wings are clipped and he will soar no more as a hero in the eyes of the people of the Philippines.

Cittiman—You ought to know something about flora and that sort of thing. Tell me what is a "forget-me-not?" Sububs—Why, it's a piece of string that your wife ties around your finger when you go in town on an errand.—Philadelphia Press.

"Papa, what are spirit rappings?" "Spirit wrappings, son, must be the clothes the angels wear."—Housington Post.

## VACATIONS

MAY BE GRANTED ALL FEDERAL EMPLOYEES BY CONGRESS.

Sick Leave and 30 Days Annually in Vogue at Washington—Mail Clerk's Expenses.

Paducah postoffice employees are interested in a bill which passed the senate yesterday, giving to all in the service 30 days annual leave. The bill must pass the house before it becomes a law, but no material opposition is anticipated there. All the government clerks in Washington have both 30 days leave and 30 days sick leave and this bill extends the custom to government employees all over the country. Another bill of interest to the postoffice is one allowing \$1 a day to railway mail clerks for incidental expenses. Heretofore they have had to pay their expenses for lunches, etc., when away from their terminals.

### PENALTY OF BEING A QUEEN.

Sad Side of the Pomp That Goes With Royal Privilege and Court Spectacles.

(From L'illustration)

The flowers of queens do not smell like other flowers. Almost always they exhale a perfume of suffering and death. When an empress burles her life and her eyes in a bunch of roses, make no mistake it is that she may better weep. The flowers of royal gardens are the confidantes of crowned heads, and they receive and keep faithfully the secrets whispered to them by these lonely great women who are never alone.

Yes! Queens, all queens, are infinitely to be pitied. Even those who have least been stricken know not happiness; but what shall we think of those who, like Queen Amelie, are at once living, healthy and secure and a thousand times more heart pierced and tortured than the victims who have succumbed to the fury of assassins?

"The queen was not wounded," cried the first dispatch which carried the dreadful news. Not wounded! What Shakespearean irony in the words! Before her very eyes her husband and one of her sons are stricken down like dogs and her other son escapes death only by a miracle—and they say, "She was not wounded!" How otherwise could she be wounded? On the contrary, it is just through not being wounded that she is wounded most. And if heaven had granted her the favor to fall dead, then only would she not have been wounded. For consider what since that day must be that royal life, which anyway had never even before been silk-lined.

Trying on black dresses, taking off jewels, which are festal souvenirs of the past; praying, hurriedly, by snatches, in a nightmare, for she is dragged away from God every minute, because she must keep her eyes and her wits about her and keep her head when everyone else has lost it, brushing away her tears or gulping them down to give an order, giving herself up to Portugal, to the monarchy, rather than to her dead, who from the immediate and earthly point of view have already only a secondary interest; receiving ministers, reading dispatches, questioning marshals, receiving confidences, listening to reports, editing proclamations, presiding in the great portrait gallery over councils at which men now speak low and now shout and pound the table; showing herself calm, erect and brave in the face of riots; presenting a smiling presence to the people and to the factions—smiling for the glory of the nation; forgiving, lavishing clemency, rendering good for evil, life for death.

If in this somber bustle there be some instants of respite and recreation, rushing into hiding, to spend them there in the chapel ardente, where lie, watched over by nuns, two loved ones whose unwilling immobility crushes her, prostrates her, and, in spite of all, omitting nothing, going forward yet even to the end of the funeral march, remounting again the State carriage from which now two are missing, and when at last, at last, all is over, after the dirge and the salute, the last words of the archbishops, the requiem aeternam, the incense, the holy water—all is done and all is over—to find herself alone with a pale, tired child, whose brow she kisses before he goes to sleep, and to whom she teaches the duty of sovereigns and rulers of empires.

These are the privileges, this the lot, of Queen Amelie, young and beautiful, a widow and mother mourning still! Where is there, in any land, a ragsman or a peasant woman washing clothes in the river in December, who at such a price would change places with her?

### Joke on the Jury.

When Ella Van Dross, a young colored girl, was tried before Judge Rosalsky in General Sessions yesterday on the charge that, when Joseph Kayatt, a white man from Yonkers, asked her in the hall of 249 Second avenue whether the Joneses lived on the floor above, she stealthily removed a pocketbook containing \$10 from his pocket, the jury deliberated only a few minutes and then returned with their verdict.

The girl, much disturbed, was led to the bar. The foreman rose. "We find the defendant not guilty," he said. As the late prisoner was turning to leave court Judge Rosalsky

## \$150 Reward

Positively the last day to catch Raffles. He will go to the ball game at Wallace Park

**SUNDAY, MAY 17**

If caught at the game \$50 extra Reward, making

**TOTAL \$150.00**

We invite everyone to come to the ball game which will be interesting and catch Raffles.

called out:

"One moment, Ella. Be careful not to let any more suspicion fall on you, whether you are innocent this time or not."

"Oh, Judge," said the girl. "Ah, never done it before, an' fo' de Lord Ah never will again."

The jury looked amazed. "That's one on you, gentlemen," remarked the Judge, and all the courtroom laughed.—New York Times.

### NOW IT STRUCK HIM.



"Gee! I bet dat feller has ter wear his fader's castoff clothes!"

"I suppose," reflected the professor, "a subway is merely an elevated railroad reduced to its lowest terms."—Chicago Tribune.

Stage Manager—The girl that takes the part of the sleeping beauty in the show can't go on tonight.  
Business Manager—Why not?  
"She ate a Welsh rabbit and she can't sleep!"—Yonkers Statesman.

### Apple Tree on Broadway.

One of the few remaining monumental trees of New York stands in Grace Church yard, at Broadway and Tenth street. It's an old common country apple tree, but it keeps green the memory of one Myner Brevoort, Dutchman and farmer. Nearly a hundred years ago the Brevoort acres spread out where the church now stands. When New York began to stretch out the city planned a straight thoroughfare and named it Broadway. The surveyors got as far as Tenth street, where their progress was stopped by the Brevoort gate. "Keep off my land!" shouted old Brevoort in most forcible Dutch, confronting them with a dog and a stick. The surveyors scaled the fence and

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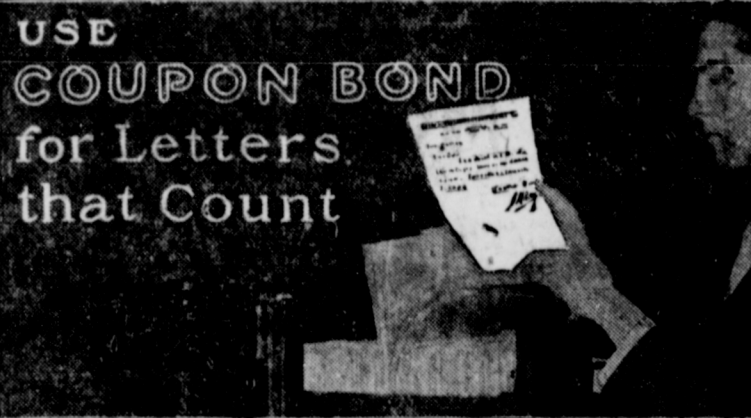
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## LAW AND ORDER

DENONCED BY SPEAKER AT  
CLARKSVILLE MEETING.

"Contemptible" Organization — But  
Nothing Against Night  
Riding.

Clarksville, Tenn., May 15.—The Dark Tobacco Growers' association met here. Ed Webb, of Trenton, Ky., created a sensation by his attack on Clarksville, and Gov. Patterson, of Tennessee, and Gov. Willson, of Kentucky, for official acts, he claimed against the association. He was bitter in his remarks. Among other things Mr. Webb said: "Over in Kentucky last year we had two men up for governor, one a known friend to the farmer and the other a trust attorney, who was elected. Immediately after election Governor Willson rushed over to Louisville and organized a Law and Order League, a contemptible organization, organized for the purpose of slaughtering tobacco growers of the 'Black Patch' and that alone. The oath demanded that each member be furnished with a repeating rifle that will kill a man almost two miles. This was done to force the farmers to give up their fight. Who are the men that compose the Law and Order League? They are not farmers. The membership is confined to the cities. The Law and Order League requested troops to be sent to the tobacco section. Mr. Joel B. Fort was prevented from speaking at Hopkinsville in the interest of the association; and they may stop you from meeting here after awhile. Through the influence of the American Tobacco combine twenty-eight men of Caldwell county were arrested and carried to Paducah where every man proved an alibi.

He referred in strong terms against the opposition to the association at Clarksville. He said a similar occurrence as the Hollowell case in Kentucky had taken place in this county when armed men went from Clarksville in response to telephone messages, to a point about ten miles in the country and lay in wait and murdered a boy without knowing he was guilty of anything. He said: "Admitting that these boys were guilty of whipping a man. What had tobacco to do with it? Who went to Nashville to back up the men who were indicted for murder in the first degree in this case? A large number of citizens from Montgomery and Robertson counties went over and bailed them out."

He referred in caustic terms to Gov. Patterson's visit to Clarksville to make an investigation of the trouble here following the killing of Young Bennett and to the Law and Order League of Clarksville, which he claims is organized to fight the tobacco association.

**DO YOU OWN A HOME?**  
How long have you been paying rent, and do not own a picket, or shingle on the roof? Own your home. \$6.00 or 20c a day will start you, and, after the loan is granted it will cost you only \$7.50 per month on each \$1,000 borrowed with 10 1/2 years to pay back. "We have bought and built 300 homes at \$1,000 each for people in the state in the last two years. Call on Standard Trust Co., State Manager W. E. Mathews, for a few days at 216 South Third street, Henneberger House, from 8 a. m. to 9 p. m.

## HONORED

BY THE KNIGHTS OF COLUMBUS  
WERE TWO PADUCAH MEN.

John T. Donovan, Deputy Supreme  
Knight and George Weikel is  
Warden.

Col. John T. Donovan, George Weikel and Fred H. Flannigan have returned from Louisville, where they attended the meeting of the state council for the Knights of Columbus of Kentucky. Col. Donovan was honored by being elected state deputy supreme knight. Mr. Weikel was re-elected to the position of state warden. The state council was attended by large and representative delegations from over the state, and a pleasant and profitable session was held.

**Notice to Contractors.**  
The Board of Public Works and City Engineer will receive bids on Tuesday, May 19th 1908, at 3 o'clock p. m., at their office in the city hall, for grading and graveling West Clark street and Gould avenue from Tenth street to Brunson avenue, as per plans and specifications on file in the City Engineer's office, under the ordinance authorizing same.

**BOARD OF PUBLIC WORKS.**  
By L. F. Kolb, Secretary.  
L. A. Washington, City Engineer.

"Well, what's on the bill-of-fare today?" inquired the genial drummer.

"Beg pardon, sah—Ah guess dey's fly-specks. Ah'll git yo' anudder, sah."—Judge.

The first governor of Pennsylvania under the constitution of 1790 was Thomas Mifflin.

## RED MEN

ELECT OFFICERS AT GREAT  
COUNCIL OF KENTUCKY.

Adopt Resolutions to Exclude Liquor  
Dealers and Gamblers From  
Order.

Frankfort, Ky., May 15.—Kentucky Red Men adopted a resolution revising the by-laws so that in the future no person who derives any revenue from the sale of whisky can become a member of the organization. This was discussed by the great council and must be adopted by each state. The resolution also excludes gamblers. The following officers were elected: Great Sachem, J. H. Kemper, Mt. Sterling; senior sagamore, W. H. McDonald, Harboursville; junior sagamore, Homer W. Northcutt, Covington; prophet, Robert L. Page, the retiring great sachem; keeper of records and seals, Frank L. Smith, of Lexington.

The representatives to the national council elected are: R. L. Page and Gustave A. Ellerkamp, of Louisville, and Henry W. Ray, of Maysville. Lexington was selected as the place of meeting next year.

## WALLACE PARK

OPENS MONDAY NIGHT WITH  
RUTH GRAY AS ATTRACTION.

Great Things Are Claimed for "The  
Mysterious Personage."

Ruth Gray, that mysterious personage, called the "mental marvel," will appear at the Casino theater, Wallace park, for one week beginning Monday, May 18.

Alone, blindfolded and in silence, this lady, it is claimed, calls names of scores of those in her audience, whom she cannot possibly know. She answers questions that have never left their hands nor been breathed by them. She details personal matters with a charming tact that are palpably impossible for her to gain knowledge of by any material means. Then she tears aside the veil of mystery that shrouds the future and talks of coming events as a faithful eye-witness might testify regarding past events. These are some of the things she is reputed to do day after day.

Miss Gray will present one performance during her engagement for ladies only, a matinee Thursday afternoon. No gentlemen or children will be admitted for this one entertainment.

## \$20 AND COST

METED TO CAIRO BUMS FOR  
USING VACANT HOUSE.

Had Brandy and Whisky With Which  
to Quench Thirst During Their  
Stay.

Tom Moore and Sidney Lewis, both colored, who were found in house No. 4 on Huntington Row yesterday morning by Patrolman Smith, of the Illinois Central force, were fined \$20 and costs this morning for breach of peace. When Patrolman Smith arrested them they had a bottle of brandy and a bottle of whisky to quench their thirst, and it is suspected that the pair are guilty of breaking into some saloon. They gave no excuse for occupying railroad property as a home without paying rent. While they are serving out their fine the case will be investigated. Lewis and Moore say that Cairo is their home.

## Radium Worth Billions.

Thomas F. Walsh, the Colorado mining man, made the prediction before the house committee on mines and mining today that radium worth billions of dollars would ultimately be discovered in the United States. He based this prediction on researches already made. With proper inquiries directed by the government, he said, millions of dollars would be added to the wealth of the government by deposits of radium that now lay undiscovered in many states of the West.

Mr. Walsh appeared before the house committee in support of a bill providing for the creation of a bureau of mines. He said such a bureau should employ experts who would "travel around the country in an effort to collect data which might be used in evolving improved methods of mining and processes which would take mineral wealth from millions of tons of ore that now go to waste."—Washington dispatch to the New York Sun.

"Do you believe in ghosts?" asked man who resents all superstition.

"No, sah," answered Mr. Erastus Pinkley. "An' all I's hopin' is dat dem ghos'es will lemme stay dat way 'stid o' comin' aroun' tryin' to convince me."—Washington Star.

Try the Sun for Job Work.

## HARRY KELLER'S FLOWER BEDS ARE BEAUTIFUL.

The lawn at the postoffice is one of the prettiest in the city since the flower beds have been arranged and the flowers planted. This year there are five large flower beds, which is an increase of one over last year. All of the flowers are well arranged, and the lawn is an eye rest for down in the business district. Mr. Harry Keller, engineer at the postoffice, designed the arrangement of the lawn this year.

"Water swells wood?"

"It must. I've often noticed that a novelist will wreck a skiff and then float enough timber on to the desert isle to build a town."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

How a girl hates to have all her girl friends admire the man she admires!

## AGAIN RAFFLES

(Continued from page one.)

busy, who wore a light tan-striped shirt and tan tie. Several ladies were sitting at tables, being served with ice cream sodas. One of the ladies said, "I believe that is Raffles," but did not have the courage to approach me. Do you remember, ladies? I noticed in particular a complete line of books. But as my time was limited, I did not have time to examine or tarry any length of time. I found this store to be neatly arranged and think that the public can be suited in any book or magazine that they may want to read.

After leaving Wilson's I went down the street, crossed over and made my call on Guthrie's dry goods store. As I entered that store several gentlemen were standing in the doorway. I purchased a pair of socks from a gentleman who wore a dark gray suit, with a striped blue shirt, white four-in-hand tie and wore nose glasses. The check was No. 24, clerk No. 7. This is indeed a nice store and reasonable prices. They have a swell line of the new up-to-date gingham for suits. While I was waiting for him to wrap my purchase up a lady came in with a baby and called for some goods with a red dot in it. The lady clerk was trying very hard to please her. She was dressed in black and was rather stout.

I came out of Guthrie's dry goods store and thought I would drop in and take in the show a few minutes at the Crystal. No one paid any attention to me there. A couple of ladies sat in front of me and one lady said to her friend, "Sit over a seat so the gentleman behind you can see." "Thank you!" Presently a gentleman came in and speaking to the ladies, came over and sit down beside them. One lady said to him, "Hello, where have you been keeping yourself?" I, by that time, felt rested, so had to hurry, as I felt sure I would be captured. But nevertheless I said, "Here goes." I crossed the street and stopped to look in the Famous Windows. I stepped in the entrance to look in the case. I noticed a bunch of clerks who were amusing each other by measuring each other's heads, with a tape line, from the chin to the back of the neck. They were also talking about catching Raffles. So near, yet so far. I went on down a little farther until I came to Gilbert's drug store, although I was not

## LOUIS CLARK'S SPECIALS

For Saturday, May 16

Barrel Pansy Flour ..... \$5.95	2 2lb cans Chunk Pineapple ..... 25c
1/2 barrel Pansy Flour ..... \$3.15	2 60c cans Peeled Asparagus ..... 85c
24 lb bag Pansy Flour ..... 75c	2 cans Virgin Corn ..... 25c
12 lb bag Pansy Flour ..... 40c	4 10c cans Potted Ham ..... 25c
24 lb bag White Front Flour ..... 65c	5c cans Potted Ham ..... 10c
2 lbs. Soda Crackers ..... 15c	2 20c cans Potted Chicken ..... 15c
2 lbs. Ginger Snaps ..... 15c	2 10c cans Lunch Sausage ..... 15c
2 lbs. Wafer Crackers ..... 25c	2 boxes Old Dutch Cleanser ..... 15c
Navy Beans, per lb. .... 5c	Sugar Cured Hams, a lb. .... 12 1/2c
56 lb can Pure Hog Lard ..... \$4.95	Creamery Butter, a lb. .... 35c
10 lb pail Pure Hog Lard ..... \$1.10	2 1lb cans Chipped Dried Beef ..... 50c
4 pkgs. Arm & Hammer Soda ..... 15c	New Green Beans, a gallon ..... 25c
3 boxes Banner Lye ..... 25c	New Green Peas, a gallon ..... 25c
4 pkgs. Swift's Washing Powder ..... 15c	New Irish Potatoes, a gallon ..... 25c
3 pkgs. Fernell Coffee ..... 65c	Pansey Green Corn, a dozen ..... 50c
3 pkgs. Jello, any flavor ..... 25c	Pansey Green Cucumbers 3 for ..... 10c
3 boxes Jap. Rose Soap ..... 25c	4 cakes White Magic Soap ..... 25c
4 cakes Coral Soap ..... 15c	3 3lb cans Tomatoes ..... 25c
2 pkgs. Rolled Oats ..... 15c	4 2lb cans Youth Corn ..... 25c
3 pkgs. Corn Flakes ..... 25c	2 Spanish Onions ..... 10c
3 pkgs. Currants ..... 25c	2 dozen Lemons ..... 25c
2 lbs. Layer Raisins ..... 25c	2 cakes Sweet Chocolate ..... 15c
3 3lb cans Lemon Cling Peaches 50c	3 fresh coconuts ..... 10c
2 2lb cans Yellow Peaches ..... 25c	3 lbs. Heinz Mince Meat ..... 25c

to appear there until 4 o'clock. I felt in need of a cigar, so I stepped in to purchase one. I was waited on by a young gentleman very neatly dressed. He wore gray trousers and was in his shirt sleeves, with a copy of The Sun in his hip pocket, just ready to catch Raffles. He had on a dotted tie, and I noticed on his shirt the monogram C. M. I returned later when the crowd was the thickest, and a gentleman stepped up to me as I was entering and said: "You are the Mysterious —" They all commenced to give him the laugh and he did not finish the sentence, so I skidded. I walked down the street a couple of blocks and returned later and made a very difficult entrance, for I was bound to make an entrance. I noticed a sign on the window advertising Liquezone Soap. I got to the cigar counter and made a purchase of a package of Home Run

cigarettes from a gentleman wearing a blue suit, one button of the coat buttoned. He was stylish and wore a black derby hat. I noticed a case near the cigar counter filled with a fine display of pipes. I will say this drug store, appealed to me to be a well arranged, up-to-date store and seemed to be well patronized. I left this store and returned to my place of residence.

I attempted to enter Gray's pool room during the evening and could not make an entrance on account of noticing that every one who went in was tapped and I did not care to walk into a trap set by the many amateur sleuths. I do not claim to do the impossible, for I am not invisible. All I ask for is a chance and a very slim one at that.

The man behind the plov also makes quite a stir in the world.

## \$125 REWARD

For the

## Mysterious Mr. Raffles

If you capture him while in our store Saturday between the hours of 7 and 10

He is coming in sometime between those hours because he wants to see our splendid line of American Gentleman Shoes and also to see our complete line of ladies shoes.

## Lendler & Lydon Shoe Store

309 Broadway

TRY A SUN WANT AD

Very few people appreciate the great value of the small want ads in the newspapers : : : :

## Some of the Things The Sun's Have Done

Very few of the people, when reading the want ads, which probably 85 per cent of the readers do, ever realize just what splendid opportunities a three or four line notice will do.

A few days ago a reader of The Sun, who had just installed himself in a flat, purchased new furniture for the entire establishment, had to leave the city, due to a change in his business. "What shall I do with this outfit," he thought. Then he remembered The Sun want ads, put four lines in for a few days and sold all the furniture, at splendid prices, in a few days.

This is but one of the many incidents of a similar nature.

You may not have an outfit of furniture to sell, but, you may have something around the house some one may want—an old carpet, or range, some musical instrument, or bit of furniture. A want ad. is a fascinating thing, for nearly every one reads them.

Try a want ad. for yourself, and test its merits. The cost is one cent a word for one insertion or three cents a word for a week, cash with order.

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# JEWELRY AUCTION

Commencing Saturday, May 16th

CHANCE OF A LIFETIME to buy jewelry at your own price. This will be one of the greatest jewelry sales ever held in Paducah.

Commencing Saturday, May 16, we will have three sales daily, at  
10 a. m., 2:30 p. m. and 7:30 p. m.

We have been in Paducah for three years and during that time the quality of our goods has spoken for itself. Diamonds, Watches and Jewelry, we carry nothing but the best and every piece bought at our sale carries with it our guarantee. Terms are cash. Everything sold during this sale is guaranteed as represented or your money back. Mr. Lee Maxey, of St. Louis, will conduct the sale for us. Watch the papers for next announcement.

**POLLOCK, The Jeweler,** 333 BROADWAY

## WEIRD EXHIBITION AT THE KENTUCKY

A Three Night Exploitation of  
Strange Hypnotic Power.

Prof. C. E. Marquis of National Re-  
nown Will Give Demonstra-  
tions.

A DARE DEVIL AUTO DRIVE.

Hypnotism, mesmerism, all potent and mysterious mental phenomena has been the source of so much good and evil since its discovery. In the seventeenth century by Dr. Mesmer, known first by the name of its discoverer, next as "electro-biology," then again as "animal magnetism," then next as "human magnetism," until now everyone gives it a name to suit themselves, ranging from "psychology" to "Christian Science."

Ever since the dawn of civilization man has felt that there exists a class of phenomena that traverses all laws that sets at defiance time and space—the laws of gravity and the laws of thought.

In the infancy of the human race man fell upon his face in fear and called it "emonology," "sorcery," "witchcraft" and "the work of the powers of darkness."

To propitiate this—to him—dread power, man offered up his best and

dearest, and mothers cast their babes into the arms of fiery Moloch, hoping in agony of soul and with brains crazed by awful fear that by such acts they could soften the flinty heart of this unknown but terrible horror, but in this enlightened age it is better understood and utilized in purposes for the moral and physical good of the human race, its uses under the title of "suggestive hypnosis" being a powerful remedy employed by advanced medical practitioners of the day.

Last, but not least, is the employment of this subtle mental power in a channel designed to afford a vast amount of harmless amusement in theaters and private parlors of the homes of the wealthy.

Of this class of purveyors of amusements to the public belongs Prof. C. E. Marquis, billed to appear at The Kentucky theater for three nights commencing Monday, May 18.

Prof. Marquis has a national reputation as a hypnotist and his performances, lasting two hours and a half, are said to afford a vast genuine innocent amusement as a colossal vaudeville show, aside from scientific treatise, divested of the technique of the subject matter, that he gives all through the 42 numbers that compose his program, this appealing very strongly as an instructive feature to the professional, as well as the laity.

On Tuesday afternoon at 4 o'clock Prof. Marquis will give a marvelous exhibition of mind reading, driving while blindfolded an automobile through the crowded thoroughfares of Paducah, in search of a pin hidden previously by some gentleman of unimpeachable integrity, culminating in Prof. Marquis finding and replacing the pin where it was originally taken by the gentleman hiding it.

Of course there will always be disbelievers—"Doubting Thomases" in hypnotism and mind reading, and there will be others, who, knowing nothing regarding the subject will cry "Fake!" but it will require only one attendance at the performances of Prof. Marquis to convince the most skeptical that he can and will do as he says.

In connection with his performances, Prof. Marquis will only employ local people, developing his subjects from among them each night, this being contrary to the usual customs of hypnotists who carry their subjects with them over the country, this saving the hard mental labor required to develop new material in each city.

Mamma—Now, Tommy, how often do you want me to speak to you about your misbehavior?

Tommy—I ain't particular, ma. Suit yourself.—St. Louis Republic.

### THE SUN'S NEW STORY.

Read the Romance  
of  
Norma Roberts  
in  
The Vanishing Fleets

WILL BEGIN NEXT SATURDAY.

## RELEASED ON BOND

MEN IMPLICATED IN KILLING OF  
THE WOODS.

Hardwick, Who Was in Hopkinsville  
Jail for Safe Keeping, Furnished  
\$2,000 Bail.

Central City, Ky., May 15.—The application for bail of J. H. Magan, J. L. Jenkins and W. E. Hardwick, charged with participation in the recent street battle in Central City, which resulted in the deaths of J. D. and John Wood, came up before Judge W. P. Sandidge at Greenville, Hardwick, it will be recalled, was brought to Hopkinsville for safekeeping immediately after the shooting.

Commonwealth's Attorney R. Y. Thomas, County Attorney Belcher and Attorneys Rogers and Wilkins appeared for the state and J. C. Simms, of Bowling Green, and Meredith and Sparks for the applicants for bail.

The hearing lasted all day. Over a hundred witnesses were present and the court house was crowded most all day.

Some twenty-five or thirty witnesses were examined and the testimony was similar to that given before the coroner's jury and fully as conflicting.

About 8 p. m. Judge Sandidge admitted Hardwick and Magan to bail in the sum of \$2,000, which they quickly gave and were released. J. L. Jenkins' bond was fixed at \$1,500, which he promptly gave and was released.

## NO INDICTMENT IN HEDGES CASE

Nicholas County Grand Jury Unable  
to Secure Any Evidence.

Carlisle, Ky., May 15.—No indictments for the killing of Hiram Hedges were returned by the grand jury when they made their report to Judge Fryer in the Nicholas circuit court. The jury has been in session for nine days and has examined over 200 witnesses, but were unable to ascertain who any of the members of the mob were who went to the home of Hedges and killed him on the night of March 21.

In their report, however, they returned five indictments, all charging minor offenses except two. One was returned against Cassius Price, charging him with murder, the charge growing out of the killing of James Williams, which occurred in Henryville, near here, last Sunday morning.

## The Cocaine Menace.

A new temptation, the cocaine habit, menaces adolescence. Dr. Chas. Harrington, Secretary of the State Board of Health, and lecturer at Harvard, set forth the evils of the drug and its growing use in various forms among boys, at the Harvard Medical Society on the evening of Saturday, April 25. Cocaine numbs the moral principles, and leads to premature graves by way of the insane asylums. The cocaine victim is hard to reclaim, because he has no desire to be reclaimed. Dr. Harrington has himself obtained preventive legislation, which has just gone into effect, against cocaine in the form of a supplement to the drugs act in Massachusetts, forbidding its sale in any form except on a doctor's order. He deserves the gratitude of parents and of the public generally.—Boston Pilot.

Try the Sun for Job Work.

## MYSTERIOUS BAND

OF NIGHT PROWLERS ABROAD  
IN HENDERSON COUNTY.

Create Consternation in One Neigh-  
borhood—Fired on By Preacher  
—A Clue.

Owensboro, Ky., May 15.—Considerable excitement has been caused in the neighborhood of Carlisle, in Henderson county, which is a short distance from the Daviess county line by the appearance of a band of men prowling about at night. The men are known as "The Mysterious Band." They do not seem to be night riders and have not as yet committed any act of violence in that section. The last appearance of the band was made on last Friday night. The Rev. U. G. Remole, a Baptist minister, who is now engaged in farming in that neighborhood, was the first to discover the band of men. They appeared about his home for several nights, a close watch being kept by the minister. On Friday night the watchers fired on the band of men and they rapidly disappeared, but no signs of damages were found after their retreat.

A number of citizens in that section are working on several clues in order to trace the affair down and punish the band.

## SOME RAFFLES INCIDENTS.

Have you caught Mr. Raffles yet? If not, you are the only person in Paducah who has not,—at least who has not thought that they have. It's a great game, and you should get in on it.

Mr. Raffles came to Paducah last Monday, and every day since then has been baffling the local amateur sleuths, as well as the professionals, and it is surprising what interest he has created. Three to four times a day some struggling individual is brought into the Sun Office by a posse of young fellows demanding the Mr. Raffles editor to establish his identity, and hardly had the stranger come to town this week who has not been approached a dozen times with the mystic words, "are you not Mr. Raffles?"

The ladies are in the pursuit, too, and some amusing incidents are told of their attempts to waylay him. In Weille's, one morning a well known young lady said to Mr. Charlie Weille "I am looking for Mr. Raffles, have you seen him?"

"Sure," replied that genial, joke-loving individual, "there he is over there now, I think," pointing to a drummer, who had just come in. "That man has been in here three times this morning, and every time he has on a different suit of clothes. I know he is Mr. Raffles."

Without further ado, the young lady crossed over to the man, and and rapped him on the shoulder with a copy of The Sun.

"You are the Mysterious Mr. Raffles of the Evening Sun," said she. It was indeed mysterious to the man, as his embarrassed actions evidenced. The young lady saw her mistake, and Mr. Weille saw only the humor of the situation, but immediately broke for the elevator for the third floor.

Col. Harry Rhodes, of Rhodes-Burford, also had an amusing experience which he tells with great glee. A gentleman approached him at his front door of his store, and told him

he was an adding machine salesman and wished to talk business with him.

"I thought he looked like the picture I had seen of Raffles," said Mr. Rhodes, in telling the story, "and thought I would get that \$100 he was offering for his capture. I knew I had to have a copy of The Sun to approach him right and wondered how I should get one. Finally, I conceived the idea of getting him into my office, where I knew was a copy, so by a conversation that now appears very ridiculous I enticed him into the office, and put him through several paces to establish his identity in my mind. You can imagine my shock when he convinced me he was a duly accredited adding machine salesman. The treats were on me and me got them."

Little Willie—Say, pa, what is the difference between genius and insanity?

## An Insistent Tenant.

A landlord in the Highlands of Scotland had a "crofter" tenant, who paid him ten shillings a year as rent for the little farm. At the end of the second year the tenant came to the landlord and said that he was not able to pay more than five shillings a year, as crops had been poor. The landlord agreed to this.

At the end of the third year the tenant appeared before the landlord again and complained that things were going so poorly with him that he was not able to pay any rent. The landlord agreed to let him remain rent free. At the end of the fourth year the tenant once more appeared before the landlord and said:

"Colonel, if you don't build me a barn I'll have to move."—Philadelphia Ledger.

Pa—The lunatic, my son, is at least sure of his board and clothes.—Chicago News.

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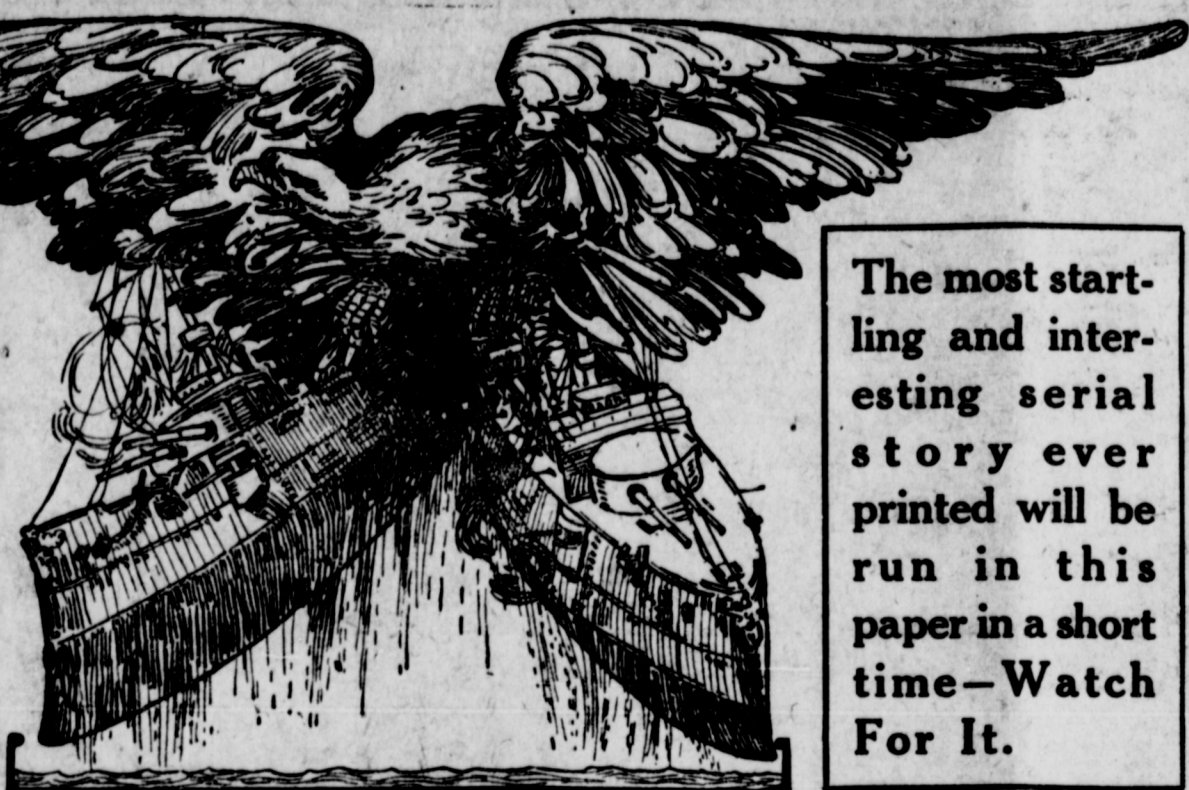
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## The Vanishing Fleets

By  
ROY NORTON

Pictures by A. Weil



The most startling and interesting serial story ever printed will be run in this paper in a short time—Watch For It.

### Some Opinions of The Vanishing Fleets

#### Philadelphia Record

If you are looking for action, something of the marvelous, excitement and mystery, you will suffer no disappointment in reading "The Vanishing Fleets." It pulsates and vibrates with life, and is a quickener of patriotism. Americans are credulous and Mr. Norton has the genius to tell a wonderful story and to keep readers in a delightful state of mystification and expectancy.

#### Brooklyn Eagle

When you are gifted with an imagination—turn it loose; don't hamper it; let it cavort. The results may be astonishing—even paralyzing to the normal conception—but there will be something doing. One concludes that this policy of emancipation was followed by the author of "The Vanishing Fleets." If this story is any indication of Mr. Norton's future, he will go far.



This Charming Story Commences in The Evening Sun Tomorrow. Be Sure and Read the First Chapter.

### Some Opinions of The Vanishing Fleets

#### New York Herald

The story is full of dramatic incidents and ingenious surprises, not too dramatic or too ingenious or too surprising to win the qualified belief that one accords to well-imagined and plausible fiction.

#### Salt Lake City Tribune

This is a novel with a purpose, and the story is one of the most ingenious that we have seen for a long time. It is full of the liveliest sort of imagination. It is altogether a great story, and when the things it describes come to pass we shall all get over our belligerent notions.

#### Seattle Post-Intelligencer

Mr. Norton's romance of a war with Japan is enough to send a quiver of excitement through the reader. The romance is born to be a winner.

## FAMOUS HOPE DIAMOND IS SOLD

The famous Hope diamond, latterly owned by Joseph Frankel's Sons company of New York, has been sold here. It is reported, for \$400,000. It is believed to have been bought for the Sultan of Turkey.

#### Sale is Confirmed.

Joseph Frankel Sons of 576 Fifth avenue, who owned the famous Hope diamond, confirmed the report of its sale in Paris. They bought the gem seven years ago and it had long been a white elephant on their hands. Charles Schwab, J. J. Hill, former Senator William A. Clark, J. P. Morgan and several other wealthy Americans consulted with Mr. Frankel over the purchase of the diamond from time to time, but they could not agree on a price and so much capital was tied up in the stone that four diamond houses were forced to the wall during the late financial panic.

Simon Frankel brought the Hope diamond to this country in the fall of 1901. He bought the gem from Lord Francis Hope through Adolph Weil of London. The purchase price, it was stated at the time, was \$150,000. The Frankels offered it for sale to various American millionaires for \$250,000.

#### Diamond is Inherited.

Lord Francis Hope inherited the diamond from his mother, to whom it had been left by her father, Henry T. Hope, a well-known banker of Amsterdam. Lord Francis Hope at the time he offered the diamond for sale was said to be on the verge of bankruptcy. The Frankels heard of his plight, and Simon Frankel went to London to negotiate the purchase of the world-famous gem.

The Hope diamond weighs 44 1/4 karats. It is of a brilliant sapphire blue, cut "cushion shaped," and is about one inch square. Its color is unrivaled among the jewels of the world, and for three-quarters of a century various European monarchs have coveted it.

The Hope family would not hear of its sale until Lord Francis Hope got into money difficulties, following his marriage to May Yohe and subsequent divorce. The Duke of Newcastle, brother of Lord Francis Hope, prevented the sale of the diamond during the period of his kinsman's intemperance for the actress. Later he was powerless to keep the diamond in the family.

#### Stolen From Indian Rajah

The splendid stone was stolen from the crown of an Indian Rajah early in the seventeenth century. In 1642 it was taken to France by the famous traveler, Tavernier. It then weighed 112 1/4 karats. Louis IV. purchased it and Louis XV. wore it in a collar of the Order of the Golden Fleece. It was stolen during the strenuous days of the French revolution and cut into four stones, the larger one of which is the Hope diamond. The Pirie diamond and the Brunswick diamond, the latter owned by the Duke of Brunswick, were the smaller gems cut from the original stone.

#### Waste of Stamps.

"If we waste other things the way we do stamps," said a stamp clerk the other day, "we Americans are just about the most wasteful people on the face of the earth."

"Uncle Sam is much more than half a million dollars in pocket every year as a result of carelessness in the use of stamps. The government never loses anything by such carelessness and always gains," he told the Chicago Tribune.

"How many stamps do you put loose in a drawer of your desk or in a corner of your pocketbook and never think of again until you come across them, aged and torn, while rummaging about months later? Then they are tossed into the waste basket."

"Lots of people are careless about putting stamps on envelopes and paper wrappers. The result is that often before the stamp has been canceled it has fallen off the letter is held up at the other end of the line until postage is paid."

"A great many more folks put on too much postage. They slip on two or three stamps to a package that requires only one. They are too busy or indolent to take the trouble to have the package weighed and find out how much postage the package requires."

"If too little postage is put on a letter Uncle Sam simply holds it up at the other end until the postage due has been paid. But if too much is put on Uncle Sam simply pockets the excess to which he is not entitled and says nothing."

"What's that noise?" asked the visitor in the apartment house. "Probably someone in the dentist's apartments below getting a tooth out."

"But this seemed to come from the floor above."

"Ah! then it's probably the Poppley's baby getting a tooth in."—Philadelphia Press.

Mr. Subbs (after engaging cook)—"There's one other thing I suppose you should know, Miss Flannigan; my wife is a chronic invalid, confined to her bed."

Miss Flannigan—"That's fine! I was afraid she might be wan iv thim chronic kickers that ar'e confined t' th' kitchen, begob!"—Puck.

This season's buds may be next season's wall flowers.

A man's secret is never safe after a woman knows he has it.



## 1908 Straws Ready for Your Inspection

You'll be interested right now in at least catching a glimpse of the styles that will predominate this summer. We invite you to take a look.

The illustration shows two classy new Yacht shapes which will be worn extensively this season. The Negligee soft braided pull-down will also be in high favor.

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### BOWING TO THE GREAT.

Pastime of One Who Knows They Don't Remember Everything.

"I have a friend," he said, "who has one queer habit. This habit has its strongest influence on special days when he covers what he calls the cocktail route. By that he means starting down on Fifth avenue about twenty-third street, and working by easy drink stages up to about Fifty-ninth street."

"He walks along the avenue in contemplation until he sees some particularly proud person seated in a motor car or carriage coming toward him. Then he simply stares until he gets the person's eye and then bows. You know how people are. Even if that man who is riding is cocksure he doesn't know the person on the sidewalk he'll bow instinctively. If he isn't absolutely sure he'll bow for fear of hurting the feelings of someone whose face and name have escaped him, as he thinks, for the minute."

"Even the women are likely to fall for it, too. They aren't as likely to as the men, because they're surer of themselves and their acquaintances."

My friend is especially pleased when he gets some proud old boy napping and the fellow returns his salute and then realizes he's stung."

"By the time he strikes the Fifty-ninth street plaza my friend's likely to be bowing to drivers and cabmen."

"See here, Hans, you used to come in here every night, after your wife died, and drink eight or ten beers to drown your sorrow; now, you've been here an hour and haven't finished one—have you forgotten the poor woman already?"—Fliegende Blätter.

First Legislator—After the railroad?

Second Legislator—Yes; I shall compel them to run over enough cows a year to give a farmer a living.—Judge.

"I see that a Connecticut farmer has set his automobile to sawing wood."

"That looks to me like a great scheme for obviating fire trouble."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

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### Historical Finds in Central Asia.

Interesting reports have been received of Dr. Stein, who is traveling in Central Asia. Last February he started through the desert for the oasis of Sha Chu or Tunhuang, on the western frontier of Kansu, following the route traversed by Marco Polo and by the Buddhist pilgrim, Hsueh-tsang, six centuries before the Venetian explorer. Five days' march from the oasis the ruins of some watch-towers were met with. The remains of a gigantic ancient wall connected them, and a short investigation showed that they were the remnants of a system of frontier defense which generally resembled the great wall of China. At Tunhuang many interesting discoveries were made among the ruins of the fortifications, which were built two centuries before Christ, and for 400 years were regularly held by troops. All the documents left behind by the Chinese were, thanks to the absence of damp and the absolute desolation of the place, in excellent preservation. Hundreds of strips of bamboo, pieces of wood and morsels of silk were found covered with characters—more than 2,000 documents in all. They mostly referred to the disposition of the troops, army-orders, etc. Dr. Stein was able to fix the route taken by the great wall for a distance of 140 miles.

Dr. Stein succeeded in finding a number of most interesting Buddhist monuments in the neighborhood, with very beautiful frescoes and sculptures, resembling those discovered at Khotan. They testify to the flourishing state of Buddhism even in the early days when it first penetrated into China.—London (England) Daily Chronicle.

A rolling man gathers lots of dust.

## Vegetables for Tables of Boys at Panama May be Raised in Own Gardens

Washington, D. C., May 14.—Incidental to the work of digging the big ditch at Panama, the canal commission is bringing to light other possibilities for this tropical neck of land.

The latest of these is the raising of vegetables, the common garden variety, such as grew in mother's back yard up here in the states. One of the forms of homesickness that prevails among the ditch diggers is a passionate longing for the good old string beans they used to have before they went to Panama, or the succulent cucumber, or the delicious fresh green pea.

In order to establish a supply of these delicacies and keep the workers from flocking back to the old home up north, Dr. Henry F. Schultz has established a garden of ten acres—which is shortly to be enlarged to fifteen—as an experimental station for the commission.

Plenty to Eat.  
As a licensed horticulturist he has demonstrated that hereafter the canal workers can have tomatoes, egg plant, celery, lettuce, carrots, beans of all kinds, cucumbers, radishes and a lot of other things if they will merely take the trouble to cultivate them. Peas will probably have to be grafted on a native plant of the same family to grow well, but even that will be done if necessary. Next year experiments are to be made with melons. It is likely that even these will flourish.

There are a lot of little things to hinder the development of the vegetables which are not met with up in the states, according to Dr. Schultz's report. There are myriads of ants, a dozen kinds of fungus, no one knows how many kinds of insects. But all of these are not sufficient to eat up the profits of a well conducted garden, for the canal employees eat ravenously of these choice products after a long siege of cold storage food. They scorn pineapples and bananas and all the fruits that we pay to ship green into the United States, although they can get them fresh from the tree.

It only goes to show that as an agent of civilization there's nothing like the homely carrot or plain bean.

RUSSIAN EMPRESS' ROMANCES.  
Marriage of Princess Dagmar of Denmark and Grand Duke Alexander.

How many people are aware that the marriage of the Empress Marie Feodorovna, of Russia, the Czar's mother, who is at present in this country visiting her sister, Queen Alexandra, and who hopes to make her home in England, provided one of the most pathetic love stories in the annals of royalty?

Before the Empress, who was Princess Dagmar, of Denmark, married Alexander III., she was engaged to his elder brother, the Czarévitch. In 1865, at Nice, the Grand Duke Nicholas fell from his horse and was so badly injured that his life was despaired of. His fiancée hastened to him and never left his side till he breathed his last. The succession to the throne devolved on the Grand Duke Alexander.

He stood by the deathbed of the Czarévitch, who, in the presence of the Emperor and Empress, placed the hand of the weeping Princess into his, saying to her with almost his last words: "Marry my brother, he is as true as crystal, and I wish it."

Enforced by political reasons, this bequest was law to the bereaved girl.—Tit-Bits.

Good Nature.  
Good nature is one of the best assets a woman can have. A good natured woman is always welcome, even when she is rather slow-witted, and a woman of the opposite class is to be dreaded and shunned, because whatever brightness she possesses is of the personal and cutting kind. Many a woman, brilliant and entertaining, is feared quite as much as

## Woman's Nature

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No free list.

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## NIGHT RIDERS HOLD MAN PRISONER WHILE HIS PLANT BED IS SCRAPED

Clarksville, Tenn., May 15.—The night riders, who scraped the plant beds of Hadley Allen, Charley Jackson and Bailey Hunt, near Palmyra, seem to have made a clean job. The farmers are independent tobacco growers and prominent citizens of that community. All of the plants on the three farms, with the exception of two small beds on Jackson's farm, which were doubtless overlooked, were completely destroyed.

**SCHOOL COURSE IN MATRIMONY**  
What Makes the Baby Wiggle? May be it's a Pin.

You ought to know in the first place that this Correspondence School of Matrimonial Education, which is just getting under way on the top floor of the old building at the corner of Broadway and Thirteenth street, is above all else, no for-damn swindle. Messrs. Floch and Wack, who are the brains of the institution, said that in just those words the first thing yesterday afternoon when kindly asked to tell all. Their full names are Julius Wack and Hugo Floch, and as they told them yesterday Rachel, their typewriter girl, sneezed. She said she has a gripe.

This Correspondence School of Matrimonial Education aims to educate you up to the point of getting married, so that once you get away with it you'll have sense enough to stay married. That, at least, is one of the many things the school is going to do when it really gets into its stride. Just at present it is merely a baby first reader school, as it were, inasmuch as the equipment consists principally of Messrs. Wack, Floch, Rachel and Colonel Arnold and an office simply decorated with a pink edition of the Long Island Railroad time table posted flat to the east wall. The dimensions of the office are so planned that no matter which part of the correspondence school one sits in, one may read the entire list of fine print on the time table. Sitting in the northwest corner of the school, say, you can tell that the 4:07 stops at Sayville on signal just as well as you can see it from that side of the educational institution not occupied by the modest rolltop desk. Even if you choose the other chair, the one farthest from the window, there staring you in the face is the information that No. 7 drops the club smoker at Pat-chogue.

When the building on Broadway was entered yesterday no one seemed ever to have heard of the Correspondence School of Matrimonial Education; but that is because, it has been hinted, the institution is in its infancy.

keep him under guard. Guns were exhibited in his presence, but no violence was offered.

One of his guards asked him why he had never joined the association, and Hunt gave his reasons. No threats were made, and when the party was ready to leave he was released.

The telephone wires leading to Clarksville and Palmyra were cut and communication to outside points was cut off. Who they were, where they came from, or where they went, is a mystery, but it is not believed they were neighbors of the men who suffered at their hands.

Mr. Allen sold about \$1,500 worth of tobacco last year, and his crop this year would have amounted to the same. Jackson and Hunt's crops would have been about the same, but all three men will not attempt to raise a crop this season.

Wandering through corridor after corridor you get the notion that only furriers and coatmakers were in the building and you were all ready to give up the hunt, especially when you opened a door marked "Bookings Office" and found that that wasn't it. Even the head of the detective agency, which has offices on the third floor, couldn't find the Correspondence School of Matrimonial Education; but at last, on the top floor, was a door marked mysteriously "C. S. of M. E. Entrance," and you had it.

Busily engaged on the job were Wack, Floch, Arnold and Rachel. When the faculty heard what was wanted there was a tense silence for a full minute, and then Mr. Floch spoke softly in English, translated into high German. Evidently his views of what should be done on so extraordinary an occasion met with approval, because he straightway began fearlessly to be interviewed. He arose to make his opening remarks.

"This school," he said, and he backed against the wall, defiantly, "is no for-damn swindle."

"We are going to start a magazine, too, which is much more than the American Magazine, Munsey's Magazine, the Century, the Broadway and things like that—" began Colonel Arnold, who is the brains of the publishing department.

"And maybe we buy a entire building with printing presses," suggested Mr. Wack, "instead of staying in this place."

"And soon we build homes for the widows and orphans that belong to our school of matrimonial education," added Mr. Floch.

"And this ain't no for-damn swindle," interpolated the entire faculty. "We show the opening pamphlet to the Postmaster and he look it over and he say, 'This thing, she can go through the mail bags.' We are honest. Everything is honest."

First of all, to one who desires the advantages of the Correspondence School of Matrimonial Education, one sends in a \$10 bill. After that, Messrs. Wack and Floch said yesterday, you get educated steadily for life on how to get married.

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THE PROBLEM OF LONG LIFE.

Anxiety to Live to Be a Hundred Years Old Appears to Be Increasing.

Certain New Yorkers again are stirred with the laudable ambition to live to be 100 years old, and more if possible. These New Yorkers, who are under the leadership of a physician, have mapped out courses to follow which they believe will result in long life. While one will eat no meat, another eats nothing else.

One believes in gorging on fruit, while another declares it is "poison" to him. One woman member of the Hundred Year Club drinks many tumblers of water during meals and between, while her husband never drinks clear water. And so it goes.

No one has ever been able to give reasons for remarkably long lives. Dr. William-George Meade, a celebrated physician in his day, died at his home in Turnbridge Wells, England, in 1642, at the age of 148 years and two months. His birth and death are matters of record, so there is no mistake about his age.

This extraordinary man was asked scores of times how he prolonged his life and he was never able to tell, but answered vaguely that it probably was because he never worried. Dr. Meade smoked a pipe, which will gratify tobacco users, and practiced as a physician after he was 140 years old. Meade's methods were simple and are followed by many doctors at this day. He believed in diet, open air exercise and cleanliness.

In his day few Britons bothered themselves about taking baths. A fat, lazy 'squire would gorge himself with meat and drink and go unclean for many months. He would swell up until he had almost reached the bursting point, then with red and bloated face and body and short breath he would have himself taken to Dr. Meade at Turnbridge Wells. Meade made him take a bath night and morning. He forced him to go to bed at sunset and arise with the lark, spend all his time walking over

the hills or resting under an awning.

The patient was allowed two meals a day, at 8 in the morning and 4 in the afternoon. No liquor was allowed him, but he was permitted to smoke a certain brand of tobacco which Dr. Meade himself used. The result of this treatment was to make new men and women out of the patients of Meade.—New York Telegraph.

Mrs. Hen—"Jest look here, John! I've found a ten-cent piece in this chicken's craw."

Mr. Hen—"Wa'al, thet makes one authentic case, an' the fast I ever knowed, whar there wuz money in chickens."—Judge.

"No," answered Mr. Sirius Barker. I can't say I care for the books that are constantly being turned out."

"What literature do you prefer?" inquired the supercilious girl.

"Well, give me the Egyptian hieroglyphics."

"But you can't read them."

"That's what I like about them. I'm not expected to."—Washington Star.

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## BERKELEY EDITOR ASKS QUESTION

(Berkeley, Cal., Daily Reporter.)

In view of the commonly accepted theories it seems to us that the following facts that are within the personal knowledge of the editor demand presentation.

A few months ago we were advised that a child of a personal friend of the editor's, living in a San Joaquin valley city, had Bright's Disease and that the family physician, who is also known to us, gave the family no hope. We suggested that he be sent literature concerning the new treatment. It was sent.

This was several months ago. We are now advised that it promptly took hold of the case and that the improvement has been so marked that recovery is now imminent.

The family physician, upon noting the abnormal change, wanted to know what was being done. Being told he advised by all means to go on with it.

The authorities declare chronic Bright's Disease incurable. Do not the numerous recoveries under this treatment demand a new adjustment of our beliefs?—Berkeley, Cal., Daily Reporter.

I sent for this treatment for cases here and will give full information.—W. B. McPherson, Paducah, Ky.

## NETHERLANDS

## HARD HIT BY TIMES IN THIS COUNTRY SAYS REPORT.

Consul Tells How Sale of Gems Has Fallen Off—Washington Gossip.

Washington, D. C., May 14.—Reporting to the state department from Amsterdam, Consul Henry H. Morgan says that possibly no country of Europe had been relatively affected so disadvantageously by the recent financial crisis in the United States as the Netherlands, largely on account of the total suspension of the diamond trade. Whereas the exports of the sparklers in 1906 amounted to \$11,633,352, in 1907 they fell off to only \$7,452,604.

People who are looking for bargains in stones will, however, be disappointed, as prices will be maintained at the old level, through influence of the diamond "trust."

## The Piano.

The modern piano is a marvel of constructive skill. An expert of the forest service has figured out the various kinds of wood used in its manufacture, and declares that just as many species are represented in the parlor grand as are used in building an ocean steamship. Piano manufacturers draw on the world's forests for their material.

The life of a piano—the sounding board—is invariably spruce; the frame, which holds the strings taut and must endure the strain of tons, is always of elm; the visible beauty of the exterior comes from veneering of any of the costly woods such as mahogany, walnut, rosewood, oak or ash, which hides the less beautiful but necessary yellow poplar. The action, with its innumerable levers, bridges, hammers, backstops and shanks must be of maple and cedar. Excepting the finest quality of foreign woods, brought in for the veneer, the Forest Service declares that the United States can furnish every other necessary wood.

## Weight of Battleship.

The navy department has inaugurated the policy of reducing the weight of the battleships as far as possible by the removal of some of the boats and davits, unnecessary bridges, heavy tops and masts and boat cranes. Naval constructors have been given instructions to follow out the idea as far as possible and the result will probably be the elimination of the rather elaborate superstructure which characterizes American warships.

This is one tangible result of the armor-belt controversy. The ships will be altered whenever any of them are at a navy yard long enough to have the changes made.

## Rhode Island's Forests.

Nayatt Point on Narragansett Bay, R. I., where the Society of St. Vincent de Paul, of Providence, each summer gives poor children a summer outing, is to be further beautified by a unique plan of forest planting. The forest service has an expert at work on a scheme of planting locust, pine and spruce to act as shelter belts and provide cool shady depths for the city waifs. The society has already planted cottonwood.

An official of the service, speaking of this plan, stated today that notwithstanding the diminutive proportions of Rhode Island, there were splendid opportunities for forest planting, where such a policy would result beneficially. He said that interest in forest extension had greatly increased of late years and that already many private citizens have set out groves of chestnut, red oak, white pine, Scotch pine, Norway spruce, Norway pine, and European larch. All these are useful timber trees and well

adapted to this state's soil and climate.

## North Carolina.

With its forests ranking third in industrial importance, North Carolina has recently awakened to the necessity for perpetuating her furniture and lumber manufactures by adopting a definite forest policy of preservation and care.

In cooperation with the United States forest service the state proposes not only to give a practical exhibition of what scientific forestry means, but also to reclaim more than 750,000 acres of wild swamp land which the state board of education owns. This work will be conducted jointly by the state board of education, the state geological survey, and the forest service. W. W. Ashe, a government forester, will be in charge.

The problem to be solved is twofold, first, to determine the portion of land suitable for agriculture and eliminate it for farms, and second, to devise means for replanting the open lands.

It is predicted that the adoption of a forest policy will do much to establish permanency of flow in North Carolina streams, and thus increase the efficiency of water powers, and stop the alarming erosion of soil, due to floods from forest denudation.

A district visitor once went to see an old Scotch woman who was dying. Noticing that her talk was all about herself and the minister, he said: "Well, really, Jennie, I believe you think there will be nobody in heaven but yourself and the minister."

"Ah, well," said the old woman, "an' I'm no' sae sure about the minister."—Judge's Library.

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## The Game of Go.

A book by Dr. L. Pfander, of Berlin, which was recently published, has for its subject, "Chinese-Japanese Go." "Go is not a new game," the author says, "for it was played at least eighteen hundred years before the Christian era, and possibly twenty-three hundred comes nearer the time. But the game as it is played by the Chinese and Japanese is different from all other forms, and it is in many respects superior to chess. The warfare in chess is of the antique class, while the Eastern Go resembles the modern style. In chess the king sends his knights and pawns out to defend and protect him and to conquer the enemy. The knights fall, and when the king has been captured the war is over. In Go there is not one battle only, but a whole campaign, with the employment of a whole army, where the strategic distribution of the forces decides the contest. The game is worthy the attention of chess players."—New York Tribune.

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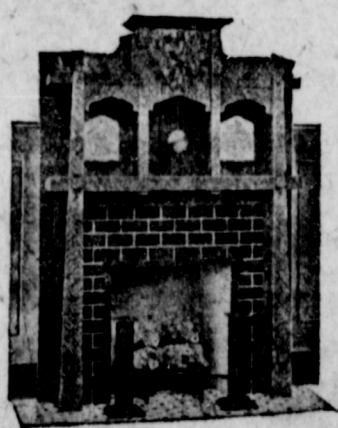
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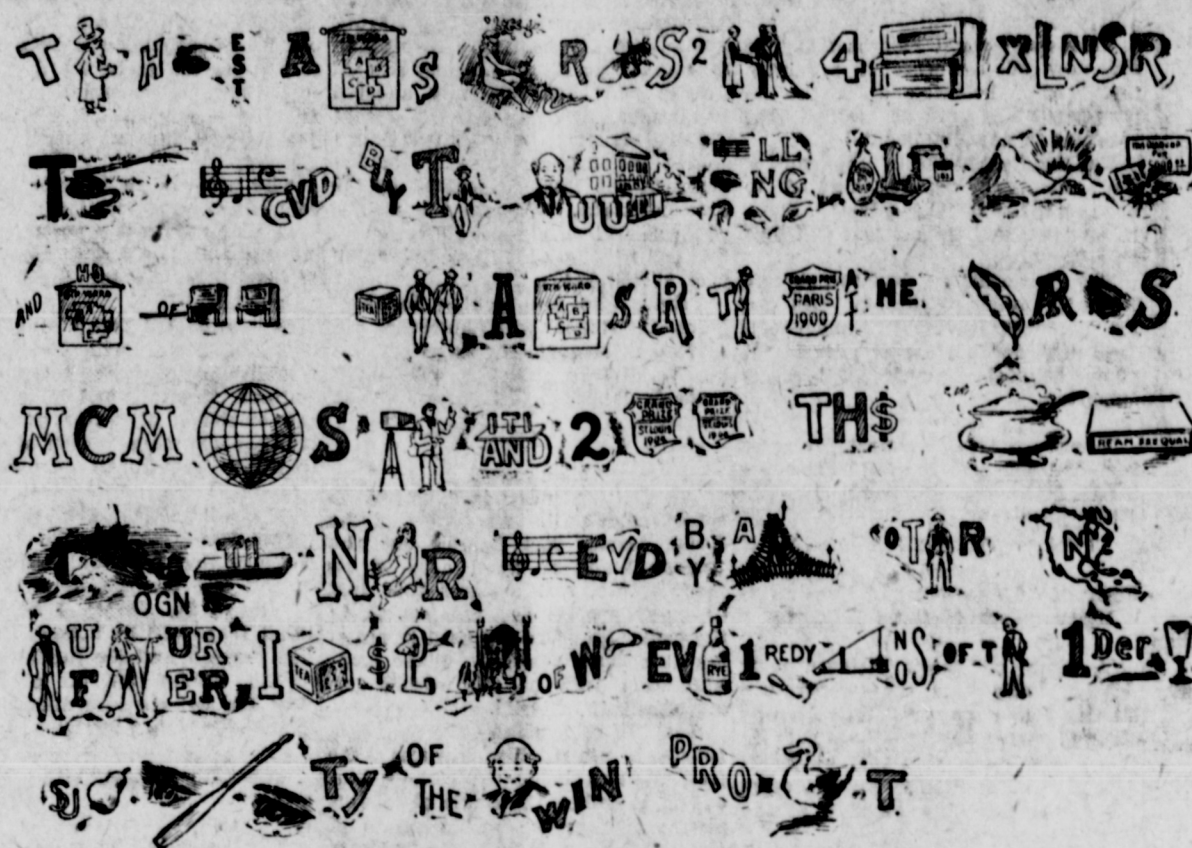
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Program of Sessions of Episcopal Meeting Over Which Bishop Presides.

Louisville, May 15.—Representatives of every Episcopal church in Kentucky will be in Louisville next week to attend the eightieth annual council of the diocese of Kentucky, which will be in session three days. The meetings will be held at St. Paul's church and will begin Tuesday, May 19. Bishop Charles Edward Woodcock will preside. The program is:

**Tuesday, May 19.**  
Celebration of the Holy Communion, 9 a. m.

The bishop, celebrant, assisted by the rector, the Rev. John Mockridge; the Rev. Frederick Thompson, Ph. D., and the Rev. Irving Goddard.

Annual sermon of the Council.—The Rev. Francis W. Hardy, St. Andrew's church, Louisville.  
Immediately after this service the council will organize for business session.

The bishop will deliver his annual address upon the organization of the council.

Recess for lunch, 1 p. m. to 2:30 p. m.

Business session, 2:30 p. m. to 4:30 p. m.

Evening session, 8 o'clock.  
Subject—Diocesan Missions.

Speakers—The Rev. John Mockridge, St. Paul's church, Louisville; the Rev. David C. Wright, Grace church, Paducah.

**Wednesday, May 20.**  
Celebration of Holy Communion, 7:30 a. m.

The bishop, celebrant, assisted by the Rev. Charles Lewis Biggs and the Rev. Cassius Lee Price.

Morning prayer, 9:30 o'clock.—The Rev. William K. Marshall and Rev. G. C. Abbott.

Business session, 10 a. m.  
Recess for lunch, 1 p. m. to 2:30 p. m.

**Thursday, May 21.**  
Annual meeting of the Kentucky branch of the Woman's Auxiliary to the board of missions.

Holy communion, 10 a. m.  
Sermon by the bishop of Kentucky.

Business meeting, 11:30 a. m.  
Luncheon, 1 p. m.

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## ORIGIN OF THE WORD KENTUCKY

Secretary of Smithsonian Institution Explains Where the Name Came From.

Washington, May 14.—Charles D. Walcott, secretary of the Smithsonian Institution, and one of the most eminent scientists in the country, has written to Representative Sherley, of Louisville, an interesting letter on the origin of the word "Kentucky." He says:

Dear Mr. Sherley.—You will recall mentioning to me at the Capitol the other day that the name "Kentucky" is omitted from the Handbook of American Indians published by the Bureau of American Ethnology. I mentioned the fact to Mr. Holmes who informs me that the handbook does not include names that are purely geographical in their scope, consequently such names as Kentucky, Mississippi, Minnesota, etc., are purposely omitted, but will be included in the proposed "Handbook of Indian Geographical Names."

Mr. Holmes has taken occasion to obtain from one of the specialists of the Bureau who has looked carefully into the subject, some information regarding the early use and the meaning of the name Kentucky, which will doubtless interest you. The summary follows:

"There appears nothing in support of the popular meaning of the 'Dark and Bloody Ground,' usually assigned to this name. From a history of the Mississippi Valley, by Spears and Clark (1903), it is learned that a leading Cherokee chief, Oconostota, about 1775, spoke of the Kentucky region as a 'dark and bloody ground.'"

"The first known use of the name Kentucky is under the form Cantuckey in a deposition of Alexander Maginly before William Allen, Chief Justice of Pennsylvania, Vol. V., 663, 1831, Colonial Records of Pennsylvania, October 12, 1753. A portion of the deposition is as follows: 'Being on their return from trading with the Cuttawab, a nation who live in the territories of Carolina, were, on the twenty-sixth day of January last, attacked by a company of Cognawagos, or French Praying Indians, from the River St. Lawrence, being in number seventy (with whom was one white man called Philip, a low Dutchman), at a place about twenty-five miles from the Blue Lick town, and on the south bank of Cuttawab river, which empties itself into Allegany river about two hundred miles below the lower Shawanese town.' But in Maginly's petition to the Pennsylvania Assembly (Assembly Journal of Votes and Proceedings for 1753, October 16, page 272), the form 'Kantuckey' is applied to a river which is described as a western branch of the Ohio river. In Article III. of the Treaty of Greenville, 1795, the river is described as 'Cuttawab or Kentucky.' On Hutchins's Map, 1778, and in Morse's Gazetteer of North America, 1798, the Kentucky river is sometimes called Cuttawab (p. 260). This river appears on the Walpole Grant of Vandalia, 1772, as the 'Louisiana Cuttawab, or Cuttawab.' But in the journal of Christopher Gist, the name 'Great Cuttawab river' evidently means the Cherokee river, now the Tennessee; and Hendrick Aupaumit, in his interesting 'narrative,' in Memoirs of the Historical Society of Pennsylvania, Vol. II., 1827, mentions the fact that in 1791 'three of Kutoohwaun nation, or Cherokee, arrived at the Forks, or Auglaize, on the Miami river, and on page he writes 'Kutoohwah, or Cherekes.'"

"Several years ago I reached the conclusion that the term 'Kentucky' was derived from the Choctaw Kantak, or a close cognate thereof, which the suffix of the absolute case, 'i,' signifying 'china brier' or

china-root' (sin-lax pseudo-china, from the roots of which the Indians made bread, a jelly, and hot cakes or fritters). William Bartram, in his travels (p. 239, 1792), describes the Indian method of preparing this tuber for food. He writes: 'They chop the roots in pieces, which are afterwards well pounded in a wooden mortar, then being mixed with clear water, in a tray, or trough, they strain it through baskets; the sediment which settles to the bottom of the vessel is afterwards dried in the open air, and is then a very fine reddish flour or meal; a small quantity of this mixed with warm water and sweetened with honey, when cool, becomes a beautiful delicious jelly, very nourishing and wholesome. They also mix it with fine corn flour, which, being fried in fresh bear's oil, makes very good hot cakes or fritters.'

The foregoing derivation would seem to be much more reasonable than those hitherto given, as 'at the head of the river' or the 'dark and bloody ground,' which have been traced to no specific language. Very truly Yours,

(Signed)  
CHARLES D. WALCOTT,  
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**Cheerfully Recommended for Rheumatism.**  
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"You don't mean to tell me," said Mrs. Housekeeper, "that you were ever a poet?" "Yes, ma'am," replied Weary Willie, "when I was younger. Dat was how my feet first went astray."—Philadelphia Press.

A man's wife usually has more faith in him than he has in himself.



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Among the diseases that can be effectively treated at home are such as pertains to the stomach, liver and bowels, like constipation, dyspepsia, biliousness, flatulence, sour stomach, bloated stomach, sick headaches, heartburn, etc. For these troubles there is no better remedy than Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin, the great herb laxative compound, and among its staunchest friends are the doctors themselves. In such troubles they know they have nothing better to offer than the ingredients contained in this remedy, and hence the liberal ones advise their patients to take it. It often happens that at the commencement of an attack some people hesitate to take such a simple remedy, and run to a doctor, but after trying various doctors they finally take Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin and have their confidence rewarded by a cure. A good case in point is that of Mr. Herrin, of Lawrenceville, Ill., who suffered from what the doctors called catarrh of the stomach. He was given up to die by three leading physicians. He had no appetite, couldn't digest what little he did eat, had severe pains in the stomach, and finally, moments when he himself thought he would die. Ultimately he was advised to try Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin and did so, and now he is entirely cured and has gained 25 pounds. He naturally advises all sufferers from weak stomach to use it. It can be had in 50 cent and \$1 bottles, and results are absolutely guaranteed or money is refunded.

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The United States, in a test suit begun at Asheville, N. C., by District Attorney A. E. Holten, claims title to all the extreme western portion of North Carolina, a territory including the greater part of eight counties, many towns and villages and a hundred thousand population, and a tremendous sensation has resulted. Among those who occupy the land in dispute are four railroads, mining companies, big timber interests, the Toxaway hotels and property owned by Pittsburgh men, who built their artificial lake miles in length and breadth, and the greater part of George W. Vanderbilt's Pisgah forest. Mr. Vanderbilt has 50,000 acres of forest in the territory involved. His holdings, which may be affected, include high forest-clad mountains, two owned by him being higher than Mount Washington, and vast forests. He has built roads through the forest, stocked the mountain streams with trout and the woods with imported game, and maintains wardens and a sumptuous hunting lodge, all of which is now claimed by the United States. The chief authority in this state on land titles involved admits the claim of the government is well founded, but no one supposed the United States would make such a claim.—New York Herald.

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**The Lion-Man.**  
The lion-man is a freak now attracting some attention in Europe, where, like all the freaks who have gone before and who will follow, he is being 'received by the crowned heads.' A Vienna news item says: 'Lionel is really only a boy 16 years old. He speaks three languages and has traveled much. There is nothing of the lion about him but the head and mane, but that is enough. The face and head are covered with a thick mat of blonde hair, and the human face can only be suspected. He seems to be proud of his head and thinks himself rather superior than unnatural because of it. He is perfectly happy because his abnormality brings him money and admiration. How like 'Lionel' we all are. He combs his hair, hears people say nice things about it, counts his money and is happy. When I left the show and saw the normal, short-haired people before me, I said: 'They are all Lions, but they have no manes.'—New York Tribune.

**Do You Love**  
Your baby? You wonder why he cries. Buy a bottle of White's Cream Vermifuge and he will never cry. Most babies have worms, and the mothers don't know it. White's Cream Vermifuge rids the child of worms and cleans out its system in a pleasant way. Every mother should keep a bottle of this medicine in the house. With it, fear need never enter her mind. Price 25c. J. H. Oehlschlaeger, Lang Bros., C. O. Ripley.

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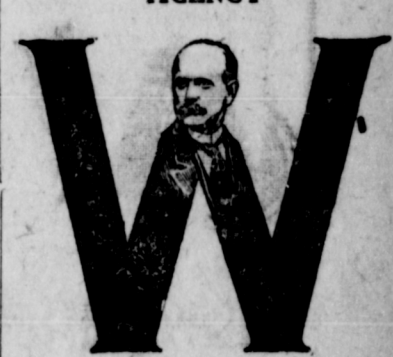
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## FRANCE MAKES WORLD'S SUPPLY CIGARETTE PAPER

Rice paper, with which cigarettes are made, has nothing to do with rice, but is made from the membranes of the bread fruit tree, or more commonly of fine new trimmings of flax and hemp.

France makes cigarette papers for the whole world, says the London Tribune, the output of Austria and Italy being insignificant.

Cigarette paper should be of the very best and purest quality obtainable, and every effort is made by manufacturers to provide a paper free from injurious elements and effects.

All the alleged harm of cigarettes is due to bad paper, the deadliest thing a smoker can consume. This manufacturers have recognized, and the cigarette paper is now as pure and perfect as possible.

So light is it that five hundred of the tiny sheets go to the ounce. They are perfectly combustible and give off the minimum smoke. Before being rolled with tobacco they are analyzed to prove that they are free from all deleterious ingredients and that they contain nothing but the purest paper fibre.

Only new material—flax and hemp trimmings—is used, and these are thoroughly purified. Chopped by machinery into minute particles, they are well mixed by a revolving fan and then reduced almost to dust. This is placed in a solution of lime and soda.

In order that every foreign substance may be eliminated, it undergoes a thorough washing process, the water being obtained from artesian wells sunk for the purpose. The pulp is again crushed and rolled out onto paper. This is of a grayish tinge and the pure white of the finished leaf is obtained by an electric process, which also cleanses it of all possible impurities.

The cigarette making machines are among the most wonderful products of human ingenuity and mechanical skill. With a single exception they are of American invention.

The machines work on two principles. In those of one class an endless roll of tobacco is enveloped by an endless ribbon of paper and chopped into cigarettes the required length. Other machines roll the tobacco separately and press it into its paper case. The former are the faster makers, but they turn out a larger proportion of faulty cigarettes.

At one end of the machine a girl sprinkles the fine cut tobacco on an endless cloth, which carries the tobacco under rollers to be combed and carried of every knot and lump. Gliding along a groove through U-shaped wheels, the tobacco becomes a continuous roll or rod, which is carried forward to the paper.

This is bearing the tobacco onward when the machine clips the paper enveloping the tobacco; moving past a brush which imparts a tiny streak of starch paste, the edges are pressed down and the continuous paper enshrouded roll of tobacco moves forward beneath a knife, which, descending at intervals, cuts it off into cigarette lengths. These fall into a receptacle, and in many cases are counted and packed by machine also.

The machines turn out from 200 to 500 cigarettes a minute. One machine crimps instead of gums the paper and thus removes one objection to smoking.

The introduction of these machines, necessitated by the increasing demand for cigarettes, has greatly decreased the cost. Made by hand the cigarettes cost 2s. 6d. a thousand, while the same number is mechanically made for 2½d. By hand from 1,500 to 2,500 cigarettes can be made in a day, the output varying according to the method adopted. In the same time a machine will turn out 150,000 cigarettes.

Some cigarette makers roll the tobacco with the paper, while others form the paper into a cylinder, then roll the tobacco the required size and push it into the paper tube.

### No Use to Die.

"I have found out that there is no use to die of lung trouble as long as you can get Dr. King's New Discovery," says Mrs. J. P. White, of Rushboro, Pa. "I would not be alive today only for that wonderful medicine. It loosens up a cough quicker than anything else, and cures lung disease even after the case is pronounced hopeless." This most reliable remedy for coughs and colds, lagrippe, asthma, bronchitis and hoarseness, is sold under guarantee at all druggists, 50c. and \$1.00. Trial bottle free.

### The Fastest Story.

An Englishman, an Irishman and a Scotchman were one day arguing as to which of the three countries possessed the fastest trains.

Said the Englishman: "Well, I've been in one of our trains and the telegraph poles have been like a hedge."

"I've seen the milestones appear like tombstones," said the Scot.

"Be jabbers," said Pat. "I was one day in a train in my country and we passed a field of carrots, a field of turnips a field of parsley, one of onions and then a pond of water, and we were going so fast that I thought it was broth!"—Philadelphia Ledger.

Some people squander a lot of money in trying to make fools of themselves.

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## LOVE FOR GROW- ING THINGS NOW BEING CULTIVATED

Glowing with the fresh beauty of hundreds of hyacinths, tulips, daffodils and other spring flowers, the yard of the normal school bears charming evidence of the value of the work done by the Out-of-Door Art League toward achieving a "City Beautiful," and intelligently directing the enthusiasm of hundreds of school children along the proper lines. Last fall many children were given one bulb each of some spring flower. These, carefully planted by the young gardeners and eagerly watched through the gloomy months, are now repaying the care of the youngsters.

Through the financial assistance of the Commercial Club and the School Board, the School Yard Committee of the Out-of-Door Art League, of which Miss Emily Yonkers is chairman, has perfected arrangements with a local seed concern by which any child presenting an order from its teacher may purchase flower and vegetable seeds for one cent a package. These seeds are put up in excellent selections, and not less than five packages are sold. Thus, for five cents, a child may acquire the means of providing joy and exercise throughout the summer months, besides materially aiding the work of making the world more beautiful.

That a desire to create beauty grows more rapidly than the destructive impulses so erroneously accredited to children has been abundantly proven by the work of the Normal School, so eager are the children to protect their flowers, that when the seeds were first planted and the danger from sparrows threatened, the children stood guard, one at a time. Then when a young sugar maple tree, recently planted, was found to be cut by some vandal, the sincere indignation of the children was only exceeded by their desire to be of service, and get the "tree doctor." The tree doctor, in this case, being represented by an application of tar, and thus the gaping wound in the poor sugar maple was staunch, and its life saved.

The value of suggestion along the lines of beauty was abundantly demonstrated when, after three sugar maples had been planted in front of the Normal School, a neighbor planted five and the church near by planted seven.

The work is, of course, done by the children after school hours, and they are now busily engaged in harvesting their third crop of onions in the back yard of the school, preparatory to replanting the garden with summer vegetables. They have made about \$14 from this work, which is being invested in flowers, shrubs and other "green things a-growin'," which will materially contribute to the beauty of Louisville school yards and homes.

The work of the Normal School is especially mentioned, but equally noteworthy indications of the success attending the efforts of the Out-of-Door Art League are to be met with in all sections of Louisville. In Crescent Hill, for instance, we find a clay bank converted into a beautiful garden, and in other sections of the town hardy shrubs replacing barren wastes where only tin cans had grown before; the blossoms in the homes of children where hitherto a sprig of grass has been a novelty, and, best of all, the desire for a really beautiful world firmly implanted in the hearts of hundreds of our future men and women.

Letters have been received from points as far away as Buenos Ayres asking for advice and direction in regard to beautifying school yards, etc. —Louisville Herald.

### His First Use of Chloroform.

The other evening at the Methodist hospital banquet, as Dr. John M. Kitchen was admiring the arrangements for equipping the operating room, he dropped into reminiscence, "I believe," said the doctor, "I was the first physician in Northern Indiana to make use of chloroform. I was a young fellow, a very young fellow, not much past 21 years old, then I had hardly dry on my sheepskin, when a man came into my office to have an aching tooth pulled out. With modern appliances we should say 'extracted,' but in that day the instruments were barbarous. I had a small bottle of chloroform, and with the hardhood of youth I made up my mind to use it on this victim. He readily went under the influence of the new anaesthetic. I pulled manfully and the grinder came out. I waited, but the patient did not return to consciousness. I was badly frightened, and hastily seizing a bucket with about two gallons of water in it I poured it over him. Gasping, he came out from the influence of the chloroform. Then he wanted to know what I meant by giving him such a soaking.

"Mustering all my professional sangfroid I calmly replied, 'That, sir, is a part of the treatment,' and he went away, greatly to my relief, entirely satisfied."—Indianapolis Star.

### Try This Scheme.

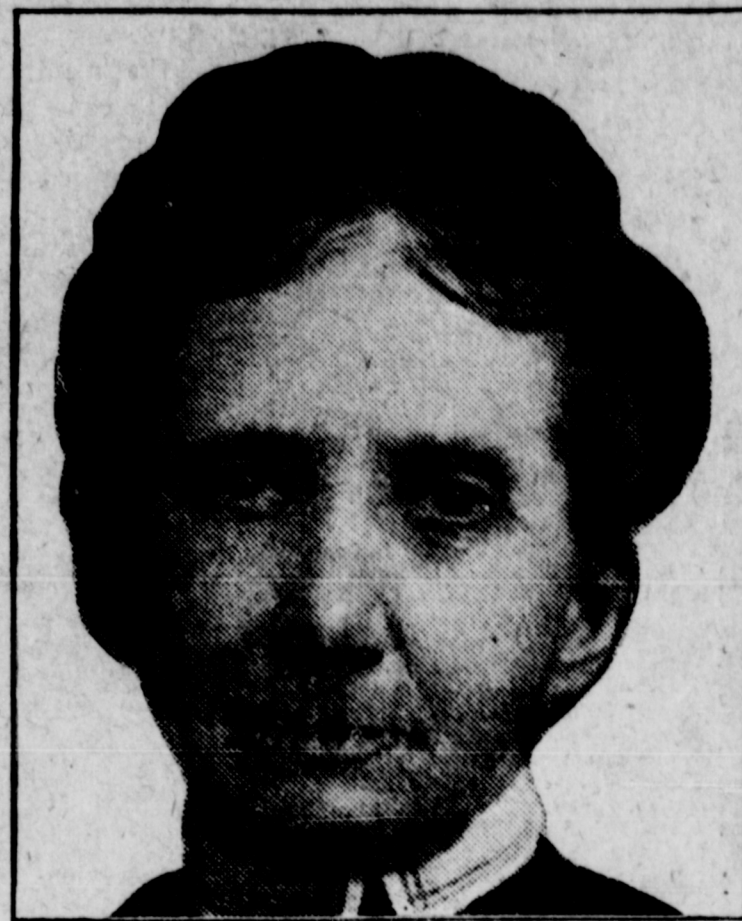
Mrs. Bronson—"Your husband kissed your cook."

Mrs. Woodson—"I told him to. The cook thinks she is getting ahead of me and will never leave."—Judy.

"Don't you think a man can smoke and still be a Christian?"

"Not the kind of cigars you smoke."—Hudson Post.

## Fourteen Years of Pain



Mrs. G. H. La Beaumme, De Soto, Mo., praises the wonderful health-giving qualities of Duffy's Pure Malt Whiskey.

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"I have been a sufferer from Grip for 14 winters. When cold weather set in I would have those miserable aching pains, and a tired feeling which never left me till warm weather. Just before Xmas last I had a terrible time with Grip and a cough, also a severe pain in my left side. I had often been advised to try your Malt Whiskey, but as I had often tried various remedies I was skeptical and concluded there was no relief. However, as I was made a Christmas present of two bottles of Duffy's I used it, and before I had finished using them I felt so much better that I used four more bottles, which stopped the aching pains, the cough, the pain in my side, and made me feel like a new person generally.

"I have recommended Duffy's to my friends, who are now using it. I shall always have some in the house, for it has certainly done wonders for me."—Mrs. G. H. La Beaumme.

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**CAUTION.**—When you ask your druggist, grocer or dealer for Duffy's Pure Malt Whiskey be sure you get the genuine. It's the only absolutely pure medicinal malt whiskey and is sold in sealed bottles only; never in bulk. Look for the trade-mark, the "Old Chemist," on the label, and make sure the seal over the cork is unbroken. Price \$1.00. Write Dr. R. Curran, Consulting Physician, for a free illustrated medical booklet and free advice. Duffy Malt Whiskey Co., Rochester, N. Y.

### LAST WORDS.

Thoughts That Marked the Passing of Some Noted Men.

There is a collection of "last words" of celebrated men which contains many beautiful and startling phrases. Whether they were really uttered by the men to whom they have been credited, says the Berliner Post, is another matter. "Thus the words of Augustus, 'The comedy is at an end—did I play my part well?' are known to nearly every reader. The collection of last words of great physicians published by 'The British Medical Journal' gives Haller credit for saying, 'The artery beats—it beats no more,' and says of Nothnagel that he wrote: 'The night of July 6, after a violent attack of angina pectoris, I will die of arterial calcination.' Cooper, Bright and Brodie died with blessings upon their lips, and Darwin, looking death calmly in the face, said, 'I really do not fear death.' Locolzi's last words were flippant: 'Au revoir, gentlemen. At the autopsy we will meet again.' None of these classic sentences, however, impress one so much as did the words of one of the few mortals who to our knowledge went into the unknown with minds undimmed. He was an old man who had lived a good and full life. With his last breath he said: 'It is not yet time. I want to stay'—that was the voice of nature."

Mr. Singler—Do you know, that new time just haunts me.

Mrs. Singler—No wonder—after the way you've murdered.

—May Smart Set.

### Turning the Tables.

When E. J. Godkin was editor of the New York Evening Post he was supposed by many to lack a sense of humor. But those in his employ who stood close to him knew better. One morning he sent for his young city editor.

"Last night," said Mr. Godkin, "I read in the Post an account of a suicide of a boy. Your news paragraph reported as the motive that the boy was resisted at home in a premature inclination to marry. Mr. Blank, can you imagine how the father felt when you accused him, for what was done no doubt in a sense of loving duty, of being the cause of the death of his child?"

The young city editor stammered an apology.

"Thank you for your explanation," said Godkin. "But," he went on in a more decided tone, "if anything like that ever happens again, I give you fair warning, sir, that I will leave this paper! I will not work for a paper that says things so cruel."

—Success Magazine.

### Good for Everybody.

Mr. Norman R. Coulter, a prominent architect, in the Delbert Building, San Francisco, says: "I fully endorse all that has been said of Electric Bitters as a tonic medicine. It is good for everybody. It corrects stomach, liver and kidney disorders in a prompt and efficient manner and builds up the system." Electric Bitters is the best spring medicine ever sold over a druggist's counter; as a blood purifier it is unequalled. 50c. at all druggists.

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Patron—"Quite so—I understand. Let's see, are you Mr. Bronson or Mr. Wibbles?"

Suitor—"Why, I'm Mr. Hotchkiss!"—Cleveland Leader.

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Small Boy—I want some medicine to reduce flesh.

Drug Clerk—Anti-fat?

Small Boy—No, Uncle.—Judge.

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